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OUTLINES.

At Wadesboro, N. C., yesterday morning at 2 o'clock, a mob of 200 citizens took J. V. Johnson from jail and lynched him for the murder of his brother-in-law, Quinn Johnson, both prominent citizens of Anson county——The Government has taken steps to punish the lynchers of a negro at Chattanooga, because the prisoner was in the jurisdiction of the Fereral Court at the time——The municipal council of Panama has pentioned the United States to intervene in Panama during the elections June 24th and July 1st, as the government by armed force is interfering with a fair election; the council of Colon protests, but already two warships have arrived to preserve order——In the Senate yesterday, Mr. Morgan, declared that the Panama canal would never be built under existing law, and offered an amendment making the canal zone a military reservation——Eight men were killed and twenty-two injured in an accident to an L. & N. train entering Louisville yesterday——The United States Supreme Court yesterday, reversed the North Carolina Corporation Commission in ordering interstate freight to take a certain switch at Greensboro ——Norfolk is prepared to give President Roosevelt a noisy greeting tomorrow morning when he arrives to deliver the decoration day address at the Naval cemetery at Portsmouth—— New Yory markets: Money on call firm, 3 to 4 per cent., ruling rate 4; closing bid 4, offered at 3 1-2; spot cotton steady; flour quiet but firmly held; wheat steady, No. 2 red, 93 1-2 nominal elevator; corn firm, No. 2, 57 1-2; oats steady, mixed 39 1-4; turpentine firm, 60 1-2 to 61; rosin quiet, strained common to good 4.10.

The infant industry that escapes an investigation these days is not born yet.

It may be the voice of Spencer B. Adams but it looks like the hand of Marion Butler with four aces.

Better be careful how you knock the Hon. Jeff Davis, of Arkansas. He might turn out to be a second Tillman.

A newspaper item says an Arkansas man has named his son Satan. No use to name boys that, for lots of 'em play the d—l after they are grown.

"Do women enjoy one another?" asks a writer in the June Atlantic Monthly. It is owing to what they "have on."

No use to talk anti-paternalism to Charlotte after she had such a big time over the loan of government troops and the Marine band for the purpose of making that Mecklenburg Declaration celebration such a hammer.

Says the Raleigh News and Observer: "The Lumberton Robesonian and Fayetteville Observer quote The North Carolina Year Book as an authority. It is the most valuable yearly publication in North Carolina." That's nothing new.

The New York market reports slate that "there is a steady demand for white goods." We can also report from this end of the line that there is a steady demand for the charming portion of the population that creates the demand for white goods.

The Medical Society of North Carolina will begin its annual convention in Charlotte to-day. Doctors will be there from all over the State but they needn't feel Charlotte's pulse, for the Charlotte Chronicle can prove that there's nothing the matter with that town.

"Concord is going to manufacture shoestrings and it can be predicted that the North Carolina shoestrings will be the best made," says an exchange. We can't say anything yet about the shoestrings but married men can tell you that the North Carolina apron strings will hold you all right.

Icebergs are so huge, dangerous and numerous in the North Atlantic that the transatlantic steamers began last Saturday to take a more southerly course. All the big liners arriving in New York report these dangerous obstructions to navigation, and all the lines have agreed to take the southerly course in order to avoid the monsters that are liable in an instant to send the bigegst ship to the bottom.

Cablegrams state that during the review of troops at Sebastopol on Sunday after th ecelebration of the anniversary of the Empero's coronation,, bombs were thrown, killing eleven persons.

DEATH ON THE YARD

Young Bridgeman Crushed to Death on A. C. L. Tracks Yesterday Morning.

DEATH CAME INSTANTLY

Adolphus Merritt Crushed to Pulp Whide Working In Excavation on River Front In This City—Remains Sent to Magnolia.

Adolphus Merritt, 20 years old, a bridgeman in the employ of the Atlantic Coast Line met a horrible death on the lower yards of the company in this city a few minutes after he started to work with four other men yesterday morning at 7 o'clock. The bridgemen were engaged in putting in a "butting block" at the end of one of the several spur tracks extending to the river and were in an excavation or depression between the rails when a shifting engine struck a car, loaded with shingles, up the track and sent it rolling down upon the men at work, carrying with it a pile of cross-ties that had been piled up on the end of the track while the work below was going on. Four of the men saw the danger just in time to save themselves but young Merritt had his back to the approaching car and was caught under the pile of ties, the car trucks riding up on the heavy timbers.

Young Merritt was crushed to death instantly. His left leg, near the hip was laid open, while the abdomen was mashed and cut diagonally across. There were other bruises about the body and on the head. It is stated that there was no signal to warn the shifting engine crew that work was in progress on the track and another story is that the car was not fitted with a coupler and that when it was struck by the shifter, it rolled back into the excavation, being beyond the control of the engineer. It is stated on the other hand that the signal had been put out and that some misunderstanding must have resulted in the shifting engine striking a car on that particular track.

Soon after the accident, Dr. C. D. Bell, the coroner, was summoned and, an inquest being unnecessary, the remains were turned over to Mr. Freeman Yopp, of the undertaking establishment of Mr. Walter E. Yopp. They were prepared there for burial and were shipped last night on the 6:50 P. M. train to the home of the family at Magnolia, for interment. Mr. Cicero Merritt, of Magnolia, father of the young man, received a telegram in time to reach Wilmington on the morning train. He and a brother of the deceased, employed in the A. C. L. shops here, accompanied the remains home last night.

Young Mr. Merritt had been a resident of Wilmington for about a year and had previously been employed as a helper in the carpenter shops of the road in this city. It was only yesterday morning that he had gone to work on the bridge force. Mr. Merritt was well liked by all who knew him and many expressions of regret at his untimely death were heard yesterday by those who gathered to learn the particulars of the distressing tragedy.

Funeral of Mrs. Suden.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Sophie Suden was conducted Sunday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock from St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church, Rev. W. A. Snyder, the pastor, being assisted by Rev. A. G. Voigt, D. D. The interment was in Oakdale cemetery, the pall-bearers having been Capt. F. W. Ortmann and Mr. John Rulfs, honorary; Messrs. M. G. Tiencken, Martin Rathjen, John Haar, P. Mohr, N. Mohr and J. D. Doscher.

Funeral of An Infant.

The funeral of the infant son of Mr. C. B. Biggar was conducted Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock from the residence of Mr. E. F. Johnson, near Ninth and Market streets, the Rev. Alpheus McCullen, pastor of Fifth Street M. E. church, officiating. A large number of friends of the doubly bereaved young husband and of the family were present and a number of beautiful floral tributes were laid on the little casket. The remains were laid to rest in Oakdale cemetery.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

B. F. Penny & Co.—The Hub.
W. B. Cooper—Announcement.
Stone & Co.—Kiln Dried Meal.
H. McL. Green—Announcement.
Peoples' Savings Bank—Special.
I. M. Solky & Co.—Fine Clothing.
Interstate Machinery Co.—Machinery.

Business Locals.

Boys' Brigade—Excursion.
W. M. Cumming—Real Estate.
Percy L. Smith—Roof Painting.
S. F. Craig—Choice N. C. Hams.
W. M. Cumming—Houses for Sale.
W. M. Cumming—Houses for Rent.
J. V. Grainger, Cashier—Letter Lost.

LIGHTNING ENVELOPS HOUSE

Residence of Capt. L. J. Pepper at Southport Splintered by Bolt Early Sunday Morning—Nobody Hurt.

A terrific bolt of lightning played havoc at the residence of Captain L. J. Pepper, at Southport, Sunday morning at 5:30 o'clock. While the family, seven in number, were still in bed, there was a tremendous crash of thunder and the electricity ran into the house on the telephone wires, melting and welding them together. The bolt ran into the parlor downstairs, tore every picture but one from the walls and ruined them, threw plastering in all directions and rent a piece out of the back of the piano.

From the lower floor, the bolt ran upstairs, tearing out window sills, shattering the window glasses, throwing plastering from the walls in three rooms, wrenched two doors from their hinges and demolished them, and melted two silver goblets and damaged the large pitcher of a communion set just purchased for the Presbyterian church. The communion set was on the floor.

The family was sleeping in the rooms upstairs and had they not been in bed it is hardly possible that any would have escaped alive. Thinking that an earthquake had occurred the family rushed from the house in their night clothing, not one of them having been shocked by the bolt but all with nerves unstrung. The three bed rooms upstairs were practically riddled and the damage was probably $200. The electricity even tore up some of the carpets and scorched them. Fortunately the house was not set on fire.

DEATH OF MRS. C. A. REGISTER.

Good Woman Entered Into Rest Sunday Morning—Funeral.

The death of Mrs. Cornelia A. Register, aged 46 years, occurred Sunday morning at 6:35 o'clock. Her death came as a sad blow to family and friends. As she had been ill for some time, her death was not unexpected.

She was born in Duplin county, N. C., and for 20 years had been a devoted member of the Missionary Baptist church, holding her membership at the time of her death at Lake City, S. C., and remaining faithful until the end. Friday night on her death bed she offered a most touching and beautiful prayer for herself and family, being resigned and showing her faith in the God she trusted.

She leaves to mourn their loss, her husband, Mr. W. W. Register; six sons, and three daughters—Mr. J. W. Register, Mr. R. S. Register, Mr. Edward Register, Mr. Charlie T. Register and Masters Henry A. and Clyde M. Register; Misses Mary C. Register, Fannie R. Register and Cora A. Register, all of Wilmington. She also leaves an aged father, Mr. Stephen Knowles; a brother, Mr. J. W. Knowles, and three sisters, Mrs. Callie Roberts, Mrs. Idella Savage and Miss Lillie Knowles, all of Duplin county.

The funeral was conducted from the late residence, No. 208 Meares street, by the Rev. W. H. Davis, of Southside Baptist church, yesterday morning at 11 o'clock and the interment was in Bellevue. The pall-bearers were: Capt. J. A. Burriss, Messrs. B. Jones, M. M. Haney, J. A. Cooker, L. D. Bordeaux and J. M. Wolf

MRS. BARKSDALE DEAD.

Wife of Well Known Travelling Man of This City.

Friends in this city will regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Annie Barksdale, wife of Mr. Trabune Barksdale, of this city, which occurred Sunday at her home in Sumter, S. C., after a brief illness, aged 28 years. Mrs. Barksdale was a native of Sumter and was the eldest daughter of Capt. A. N. Freeland, of that city. A large number of friends and relatives are left to mourn her death. She leaves an infant child about two weeks old. The funeral services were held in Sumter at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Mr. W. R. Barksdale, of this city, a brother of the bereaved young husband, went to Sumter to attend the funeral.

Negro Is Bound Over.

In Justice Bornemann's court yesterday, the negro Robert Willie, charged with the larceny of a horse and buggy from Messrs. Brooks & Taylor, was bound over to Superior Court and in default of $200 justified bond, went to jail for the July term. He confessed the deed and tried to "make up" the case, but the offence was regarded too serious to be compromised.

Bowling at Lumina.

Another prize of $5 is offered in the Lumina bowling contest this week. The arrangement, however, will be a little different. The three highest up to 9 o'clock Saturday night will bowl for the highest score after that hour. The three highest last night were: Ed. Cunningham, 139; Junius Potts, 118, and M. Silvia, 110.

TERM ENTERED UPON

Interesting Suit of Willson Against Railroad Begun In Superior Court

TWO SUITS COMPROMISED

Creech Against Cotton Mills Off Docket—Only One Juror Lacking in Case Now On Trial—Proceedings Yesterday.

New Hanover Superior Court, Judge James L. Webb presiding, convened yesterday afternoon at 2:45 o'clock and will remain in session for two weeks for the trial of civil causes only. The first case called for trial was that of C. D. Willson against the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company in which the palnitiff is suing for $10,000 damages for personal injuries sustained about a year ago on the Nutt street crossing of the road in this city, negligence on the part of the company being assigned as a cause of action. All save one of the twelve jurors had been selected to try the case when court at 6 o'clock yesterday evening, took a recess until 9:30 A. M. to-day.

Appearing in the case are Wm. J. Bellamy, Esq., Messrs. Rountree & Carr and Woodus Kellam, Esq., for the plaintiff, and Messrs. Davis & Davis and Herbert McClammy, Esq., for the railroad. When court convened yesterday afternoon, the plaintiff promptly announced its readiness for trial but attorneys for the defendant found few of their witnesses present and suggested a day later in the week for the trial. The delay was resisted by plaintiff's attorneys and Judge Webb ordered the trial to proceed, at the same time offering every facility to defendants' attorneys to get their witnesses into court later.

Among the witnesses for the plaintiff is Dr. Russell Bellamy, of New York, a brother of the leading counsel for Mr. Willson, who was on a visit to relatives in this city at the time of the accident and made the first examination of the plaintiff after he was hurt. Dr. Bellamy arrived yesterday morning from New York and expects to return to his practice with the least possible delay, hence the insistence of plaintiff's attorneys yesterday that the trial proceed.

Miss Estelle Shrier will take the testimony as court stenographer but the jury will not be completed until this morning. Upon taking a recess yesterday evening Judge Webb ordered 10 talesmen summoned for to-day and from that number it is expected that the twelfth juror can be secured without difficulty. Mr. W. T. Sears was the last juror called yesterday evening. He was challenged by the plaintiff on the ground of his not being a freeholder. Mr. Sears had a title to a small piece of property, but it was unable to be determined whether the paper he held for the same was a deed in fee simple or was an option. Mr. Sears was instructed to bring the paper upon the convening of the court this morning so as to determine whether he is eligible to sit as a juror or not.

The eleven jurors thus far selected are as follows: J. A. Applewhite, M. H. P. Clark, J. D. Woody, Jr., B. C. Bordeaux, R. C. Orrell, H. W. Howell, T. J. Pratt, A. L. McNorton, E. J. Harrison, T. W. Wood, R. V. Leonard.

When court met yesterday afternoon the sheriff returned as jurors summoned for the week: Messrs. B. H. Houston, J. C. McAlister, S. O. Frink, J. F. Stanland, W. M. Harris, J. A. Applewhite, M. H. P. Clark, C. R. Brinkley, John W. Harper, Geo. G. Smith, W. G. Craig, N. N. Davis, J. D. Woody, Jr., B. C. Bordeaux, D. S. Bender, I. M. Bear, J. A. McGeachy, J. R. Williams. Excused by His Honor, J. W. Harper, I. M. Bear, J. A. McGeachy, J. R. Williams. B. H. Houston was called and having failed, was fined $80. Fine subsequently stricken out, juror having come into court and rendered a satisfactory excuse.

Judgment according to compromise was entered in the cases of H. C. Creech and his daughter, Mortie L. Creech, against the Wilmington Cotton Mills, the last named being a child who was injured while at work in the factory and brought suit for a large amount for personal injury. By the terms of the compromise, the father receives $100 and the child $500, each party to the suit to pay his or her part of the costs. Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy & Son and Herbert McClammy, Esq., appeared for the plaintiff and Messrs. Meares & Ruark, for the defendant company.

In the case of Toney Watters vs. Georgia Watters, plaintiff took a non suit.

A Prize

of $5 to the winner of bowling contest at Lumina this week. **

CAROLINA SUMMER SCHOOL

Second Annual Gathering of Sunday School Workers at Wrightsville Beach in June.

An attractive line of advertising matter is being issued for the Carolina Summer School for Sunday School workers of all churches in the Carolinas and along the Atlantic Seaboard, which assembles at Wrightsville Beach Friday, June 15th and continues through Thursday of the following week in the auditorium of the Seashore Hotel. The railroads have granted a very low rate for this occasion and Mr. W. B. Cooper, secretary and business manager, is advised that there will be a large attendance.

Prof. H. M. Hamill, D. D., of Nashville, Tenn., superintendent of the Sunday School training work of the Southern Methodist church is dean of the faculty of the Summer School and his assistants will be Mrs. Hamill, primary specialist; Miss Hilda North, of Washington, D. C., superintendent of drawing; Prof. H. B. Carre, of Vanderbilt, superintendent West End Sunday School, in Nashville, Tenn.; President J. A. Scherer, of Newberry College; Bishop James Atkins, of Nashville, Sunday School literature editor; Rev. L. F. Beaty, of Marion, S. C., assistant Sunday School editor, and others.

The directors of the school are Dr. Hamill, chairman; Rev. K. D. Holmes, Roxboro; W. B. Cooper, Wilmington; Rev. L. F. Beaty, Marion, S. C.; Rev. D. M. McLeod, Union, S. C.; Rev. L. W. Crawford, Reidsville; D. B. Coltrane, Concord; C. E. Vale, R. V. Leonard, J. B. Taylor, Rev. J. M. Culbreth and Rev. N. M. Watson, of Wilmington.

The Institute was organized at Wrightsville in June, 1905, when there were about 275 enrolled students. It combines a most delightful week's outing with a high-grade school of Sunday School Methods for the Carolina workers, at a cost within reach of most persons of modest financial ability. The mornings are given to study under specialists and the afternoons to recreation and good fellowship.

POLICE COURT YESTERDAY.

"Lily White" Session of Municipal Tribunal—One Bound Over.

Ten defendants, all white, were before the Mayor yesterday. All but three escaped with the costs. Two of these were fined $5 including the costs and the third was bound to Superior Court. The only case of interest yesterday was one in which Messrs. John Toler, Tom Costin and Will Terry were charged with engaging in an affray upon the arrival of the the steamer Wilmington at her wharf Sunday night. Messrs. Toler and Terry were discharged, their part in the affair being held to have been justifiable, but young Mr. Costin was bound to Superior Court on a charge of having stuck a knife in Mr. Toler's shoulder. The defendant Costin gave bond of $50 with Mr. John W. Ahrens as surety.

LOG TRAIN WRECKED.

Smash-Up on Lower Yards of Atlantic Coast Line Sunday.

A log train of about 40 cars was wrecked Sunday morning on the Nutt street crossing of the Atlantic Coast Line in the lower yards. Five or six of the cars were derailed and logs thrown in every direction. Four of the car trucks were pretty badly torn up and the shifting engine moving them was damaged somewhat, but no one was hurt. A wrecking crew worked all day removing the wreckage from the yards. The street was blocked to vehicles and pedestrians nearly all day by reason of the wreck.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Deeds Which Appear From Record Filed Yesterday.

M. S. Willard and wife to T. R. Newkirk, for $80, property on south side of Kidder street, 75 feet west of Fourth street, 37 1-2x66 feet in size.

Thos. H. Wright to Mary C. Wales, for $1,000, property in Block 197, 128 feet east of Seventh street and 164 feet north of Chesnut street, 20x24x10 x52x35x72 feet in size.

Casper Hill and wife to Frank Hill, for $15, property near Wrightsville Sound, between Smith's Bay and the Two Mile Branch, known as the Ketchum tract.

F. O. E. Memorial Service.

The annual memorial service of Carolina Aerie No. 1171, Fraternal Order of Eagles, was held Sunday night in the lodge room of the club on North Front street. The exercises were very well attended. The address was by William J. Bellamy, Esq., and it is spoken of as being of a very high order.

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CITY AGAINST BRYAN

Plaintiff Wins In Supreme Court Important Back Tax Suit From Wilmington

THE OPINION YESTERDAY

Much Local Interest in Outcome——Chief Justice's Remarkable Deliverance In Murder Case on Appeal From Raleigh—Others.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Ma 28.—Chief Justice Walter Clark in writing a majority opinion of the Supreme Court finding no error in the trial of Robt. Lilliston under sentence of fourteen years for killing Charles Smith, of Petersburg, during the duel with Fred Clark, in the Union Depot here at the last State Fair made the following remarkable statement:

"In a less restrained community, it is probable that the contempt shown by these men for the law and the lives of others would have met with more prompt punishment. Certainly there are those places where both would have been promptly taken in hand by an indignant peope and hung to the nearest tree and the tax payers woud not have been burdened with the expense of a long trial nor the courts with an examination of technicalities to save the lives of men who in any aspect of the evidence, showed so little regard for the lives of others.

Other opinions were delivered to-day as follows: Wilmington vs. Bryan, from New Hanover, reversed; Winders vs. Hill, from Duplin, modified and affirmed, case goes to the jury; plaintiff pays the cost of this court. State vs. Lilliston, from Wake, no error; City of Durham vs. Eno Cotton Mills, from Durham, affirmed; Wallace vs. S. A. L. Railway, from Mecklenburg, affirmed; Coffin and McDonald vs. Harris, from Swain, affirmed.

Chief Justice Clark wrote the opinion of the court reversing the lower court in the case of City of Wilmington vs. E. K. Bryan, involving commission on the collection of more than $50,000 back taxes in Wilmington. A majority opinion holds that the court erred in that the Judge found on the facts of law that the plaintiff entered into a contract with E. K. Bryan and associates, whereas the contract was with D. B. Sutton, City Attorney, and as such, the contract terminated with Sutton's term of office. The lower court also erred in overruling plaintiff's exceptions as to the referee's findings of law and holding that the contract was a continuing one while in reality it was terminable at the will of either party. The court holds that the counter claim set up cannot be sustained. The court directs that the defendant pay to the city $1,076.52 with interest from September 1st 1900. Justices Walker and Connor dissent from the majority opinion. Justice Walker writing the dissenting opinion insists that Bryan has a right to set up a counter claim and that the city's contract with Bryan was continuing and irrevocable and could not be effected by subsequent legislation.

(The decision in the case of City of Wilmington vs. E. K. Bryan and others was received with much interest by members of the bar and the public in general here yesterday. The decision involves about $4,500 all told to the city as plaintiffs under the contract with Sutton claimed not only the $1,076 retained by them pending a settlement of the suit, but also the commissions on back taxes collected since Sutton went out of office eight years ago. The attorneys appearing for the city were Messrs. Empie & Empie, Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy, Former City Attorneys Iredell Meares, Wm. J. Bellamy and the present city attorney, Marsden Bellamy, Jr. For the plaintiff were Messrs. Davis & Davis, George Rountree, Herbert McClammy and ex-Judge Bryan. In this connection, the opinion of the Supreme Court reflects much credit upon Swift M. Empie, Esq., of the firm of Empie & Empie, for it was he who prepared the brief and argument and did the groundwork upon which the reversal was secured. It was a decided victory for him and a neat compliment to his ability as a lawyer.)

Laid to Rest Sunday.

Impressive funeral services were conducted at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon by Rev. M. J. Duryea over the remains of the late Mr. Raymond C. Robinson, whose death occurred Saturday midnight at the home of his mother, No. 413 North Seventh street. A large number of sorrowing friends and relatives were in attendance upon the services and a number of beautiful floral tributes were laid on the grave. The pall-bearers were Messrs. H. O. Thomas, J. S. Brittain, D. C. Carr, W. E. Cromwell, C. D. Brock and E. C. Moore.

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All announcements of Fairs, Festivals, Balls, Hops, Picnics, Society Meetings, Political meetings, etc., will be charged regular advertising rates.

Advertisements discontinued before the time contracted for has expired, charged transient rates for time actualy published.

No advertisements inserted in Local Columns at any rate.

All announcements and recommendations of candidates for office, whether in the shape of communications or otherwise, will be charged as advertisements.

Payments for transient advertisements must be made in advance. Known parties, or strangers with proper reference, may pay monthly or quarterly, according to contract.

Remittances must be made by Check, Draft, Postal Money Order, Express or in Registered Letter. Only such remittances will be at the risk of the publisher.

Communications, unless they contain important news or discuss briefly and properly subjects of real interest, are not wanted; and, if acceptable in every other way, they will invariably be rejected if the real name of the author is withheld.

Notices of Marriage or Death, Tributes of Respect, Resolutions of Thanks, etc., are charged for as ordinary advertisements, but only half rates when paid for strictly in advance. At this rate 50 cents will pay for a simple announcement of Marriage or Death

Advertisements inserted once a week in Daily will be charged $1.00 per inch for each insertion. Every other day, three-fourths of daily rate. Twice a week, two-thirds of daily rate.

Contract advertisers will not be allowed to exceed their space or advertise anything foreign to their regular business without extra charge at transient rates.

Avertisements kept under the head of "New Advertisements" will be charged fifty per cent. extra.

Advertisements to follow reading matter, or to occupy any special place, will be charged extra according to the position desired.

INVESTIGATION BENEFITS RAILROADS.

The revelations of the investigation of the affairs of the Pennsylvania Railroad company, by the Interstate Commerce Commission, at Philadelphia, have been of a startling nature in some respects. The Commission will continue the investigation at Washington, and whether any other disclosures are revealed or not, the information already secured is sufficient to cause a reform movement to set in. It is not known whether the government has enough evidence to prosecute, except for rebating, but the light was turned on sufficiently to stampede the grafters who were probably doing business without the knowledge of the higher officials.

Hambleton & Co., bankers, Baltimore, in their last week's circular, say:

"The present investigation which is going on regarding the management of railroads and especially in connection with the officials of those companies who are interested in private transportation lines, in coal companies, etc., while bringing to light some very ugly developments, must in the end be productive of good results. It is very evident that, as in the case of the great life insurance companies, the railroads have to a certain extent been exploited for the benefit of some of the individuals who are connected therewith. Naturally, the man who received gifts and presents from corporations desiring especial favors from the railroad companies cannot be entirely true and loyal to the roads which he represents. The investigation, will, we feel satisfied, be beneficial to the railroad companies themselves, and will correct evils which have long existed and which have been very expensive to the transportation companies. That the developments made, showing possibly dishonest practices, should encourage the sentiment of governmental ownership, does not appeal to us. On the contrary, we feel certain that such ownership would result in a condition many times worse than any which has been shown to exist. After all the number of officials which has been proved guilty of grafting proclivities is infinitesimal as compared with the great army of employes who are faithful and loyal to those whom they serve."

Fear of exposure will deter many people from doing crooked things, and aroused public sentiment will surely produce a higher moral sense in the country.

FORESTS DISAPPEARING.

The National Hardwood Lumber Association at its recent meeting in Memphis adopted a report that presented the dire possibilities of the destruction of the forests in the short period of thirty-five years. The rapidity with which the pines of eastern North Carolina and the hardwoods of western North Carolina are disappearing before the lumbermen is but a part of the distressing evidence that warrants the apprehensions of the Hardware Lumber Association. We might also add that forest fires continue to do their part of the destruction in the piney regions in this portion of the State, numerous fires having swept valuable forests during the past two weeks. It is stated that the long drought made tinder of the forests and that where the railroad locomotives dropped fire or it got out otherwise the result was disastrous.

At the meeting of the hardwood men in Memphis it was estimated that there now stood in the United States in the neighborhood of 1,475,000,000,000 but that 45,000,000 feet of lumber was cut yearly. The report recommended that something must be done and done immediately. Recommendations were made by the report for the prohibition of log exports and exemption from taxes of tree plantations. Attention was called to the desirability of State legal enactments along the last line and some constitutional provision by the General Government of like effect. Mention was made of the custom prevailing in France of requiring a tree to be planted for every tree cut down.

Something ought to be done in eastern North Carolina to interest the people in preserving their forests, and not only that, but the greater importance of restoring the timber growth of the country.

BUYING CANAL MATERIAL ABROAD.

The Panama canal question—the type of canal, whether a lock or a sea-level waterway—cannot be long deferred by Congress but in the face of an election it is a question that the Republicans sincerely wish could be avoided. It is unfortunate for the Republicans that the thing bobs up right in the face of an election but the probability is that final action on it will be delayed till the elections are over. At any rate if it is settled before Congress adjourns, the Republicans will doubtless gumshoe around some of the features. One of these is the policy of purchasing canal material abroad when the price (under the protective tariff) is too exortant in this country.

The country at large has left to the engineers the question of a lock or a sea-level canal, but it is not so as to the purchase of supplies. The Washing correspondent of the New York Journal of Commerce tells us that there is a great deal of evidence that much interest is being taken throughout the country in the supply problem. This interest has been intensified because of the pending controversy as to the tariff, upon which the debate has a distinct bearing. One reason why the Sundry Civil bill has been held back so long by the Committee on Appropriations in the House has been the desire to so far as possible test opinion on this question with a view to incorporating some provision on the subject into the section authorizing the expenditure of money for construction work. The investigation has shown that Congressmen are very nervous about taking any action that would seek to countenance the idea of purchasing supplies abroad. It is felt that this would be a bad basis upon which to go into the campaign, especially as the tariff question and the problem of export prices are likely to figure so largely. One thing that has tended in some measure to offset this feeling is the fact that there has been serious anxiety concerning the cost of the canal and strong desire to keep the outlay down so far as may be practical. This is the reason why the Aldrich resolution on the supply question when reported from the Finance Committee of the Senate was so ambiguous, providing that bids should be asked for only in this country, although purchases abroad might be made in case domestic prices were exorbitant.

The able Washington correspondent of the Journal of Commerce remarks:

"The truth is that, for some time past, it has been evident that there was an effort to get more out of the Government on every canal purchase than any private individual would have had to pay. Therefore, common-sense men are reluctant entirely to take away from the canal administration the weapon of protection which it has in the power to purchase abroad when ever that may be necessary. At the same time, for political purposes, these same men want to see the purchases made in this country so long at least as the tariff question is acute."

It is pretty safe to assert that the Republicans in Congress dread to commit themselves on this question. If they do commit themselves it is also pretty safe to predict that they will attempt to convince the people that it is patriotic for the people to pay for high priced material than that their protection pets should be cut out of the contracts for furnishing material with which to build the canal.

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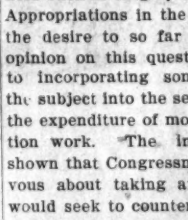

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Farmville, N. C., Dec. 6, 1904.

THE ATLANTIC MONTHLY.

The June Atlantic Monthly is an intellectual treat. There is a rare table of contents, embracing story, poetry, contributed articles, etc. Among the articles is "The Hague Conferences and the Future of Arbitration," "How Ought Wealth be Distributed?" "Recent Progress of Solar Research;" "Constitution Mending and the Initiative;" "Significant Books in Economics and Sociology," and others of similar character. Several notable poems appear in the Atlantic, and in "The Contributors' Club" department, there is an entertaining article on "Do Women Enjoy One Another?" This is merey a glipse at the good things in the Atlantic Monthly, the price of which is 35 cents per copy and which is sent to subscribers a year for $4.00. Address Houghton, Muffiin & Co., 4 Park street, Boston.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—Vice-President Fairbanks has returned from the South, and the thermometers down there have begun to rise again.—Baltimore Sun.

—The South is calling for more cotton pickers. There seems to be a demand for laborers everywhere except where the unfortunate laborers are.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

—Mr. Rollins got out while the firing was pretty warm, but it may be a part of a shrewd scheme, for it is not to be forgotten that the late chairman is close—some say exceedingly close—to former Senator Marion Butler.—Charlotte Observer.

—Where the Carolinas sit in cotton manufacturing is the "head of the table." Of 642 cotton mills in the entire Souht, 379 are in North and South Carolina, while of the 4,490,647 spindles, 5,795,390 are in the Carolinas. And the good work goes on!—Raleigh News and Observer.

—Convict guards, of course, are expected to prevent those under their charge from escaping, but it does seem unjust that a man held for a petty offense should be killed while running away. Doubtless the courts will not interfere with the liberty of the men at High Point, but at the same time they have blood upon their hands.—Charlotte News.

—The week's issue of The Literary Digest contains a portrait of Dr. Geo. W. Graham and a review of his book on "The Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence, May 20th, 1775, and Lives of Its Signers." This is a book that is going to take a conspicuous place in the historical annals of this country and through which Dr. George W. Graham's name is going to be made famous.—Charlotte Chronicle.

—Mr. Thos. S. Rollins, chairman of the Republican State executive committee is quoted in The Industrial as saying: "During the last month more than a dozen life-long Democrats have joined the Republican party and the outlook at this time is most gratifying. By proper management I am fully convinced that we will make great gains in every county in North Carolina and that two years hence, I verily believe, we will carry the State." This acquisition of life-long Democrats is represented by a small nest in Henderson county, composed of an old voter who happened to have a rather numerous family of grandsons and sons-in-law, and who followed the lead of a former Democratic State Senator. If this gain is the basis for Mr. Rollins' roseate hopes for the future, the Democrats need not be losing sleep over it.—Charlotte Chronicle.

TWINKLINGS.

—"I declare Hiram, that old yellow pup of yours is getting more an' more human every day." "Human, Silc? Why, he's always growling." "Yes, but he even growls at the weather."—Columbus Dispatch.

—"I hear that the Van Swellers have remarried each other—that neither was satisfied with the divorce?" "Yes; the stupid judge gave him the custody of the dogs and gave the care of the children to her."—American Spectator.

—"There was a time, ma'am" said the beggar, "when I had money to burn." "when I had money to burn." "And you burned it, I suppose?" "No, ma'am; I lorst it fightin' the Ice Trust." Chicago News.

—"Sometimes," said Uncle Eben, "it 'pears to me like a reformer was one o' deshere people dat has to talk two hours an' a half to 'spress one o' de Ten Commandments. An' dar warn't no dispute 'bout dat in de firs' place."—Washinton Star.

—"Why," asked the judge, "did you deliberately get in the way of this man's automobile?" "Because," muttered the wrinkled crone, "I wanted to be described as being young and pretty once more before death."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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Mary C. Green, widof of Henry Green, Henry Green, Jr., Janie Green, Mary Green, and Josie Green.

To Mary Green and Josie Green:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, that by a decree of this Court, you have this day been made parties defendant to this action, and it appearing to the Court that you are non-residents of the State and cannot after due diligence be found therein, and that you are necessary parties to this cause, you are hereby notified to be and appear before me at my office, at the Court House in the City of Wilmington, on Saturday the 23rd day of June, 1906, and show cause, if any you have, why the sale of six lots of land in the City of Wilmington this day sold by William M. Bellamy, commissioner, to Thomas H. Wright, Walter Taft, Joshua Green, W. J. Bellamy and Mary C. Green, shall not be confirmed. And if you do not appear then and there and show cause, judgment will be entered against you.

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—A party of Fayetteville fishermen are enjoying themselves near Montague and Moore's Creek, at the lodge purchased and fitted up by a club of which Col. J. B. Starr is president. Trout, pike, perch, etc., are affording fine sport.

—A dispatch from Newbern on Sunday says: The drought which has caused much damage to the truck was broken to-day. Farmers had become discouraged and had about decided to take up their cotton and plant corn instead. The rains are copious and will save the potato and bean crops.

—The precinct primaries of Cumberland county are called to meet on Saturday, June 2. Among their duties will be the election of new executive committees, the chairman of which together constitute the county Democratic executive committee. They will also vote on delegates to the State and district conventions.

—Progressive Kinston gets the credit of having one of the best looking business streets of any city in North Carolina. Main street is paved from one sidewalk to the other with vitrified brick, and on each side is a 12-foot wide sidewalk. This improvement for street and sidewalk extends probably half a mile.

—Fayetteville special, May 27: The remains were brought here yesterday afternoon of Mr. Charles Shepherd, who was killed by a shifting engine at Rocky Mount early yesterday morning. He was a former resident of Fayetteville, where his father, a building contractor, now lives, and he married Miss Lizzie Lucas, of this city.

—North Carolina Baptist: The Southern Express Company has issued an order to its agents that means much for the cause of prohibition and it is that no liquor packages are to be delivered upon order of consignee, but to consignees themselves. Frequently liquor is shipped to fictitious persons, the real consignee sending an order for the same in the name of the fictitious purchaser. Now the purchaser himself must call for the devil-dealing stuff. Again, we have seen posted in depots the advertisements of liquor houses. The Express Company should prohibit this absolutely.

—A dispatch from Raleigh on Sunday says: Rain fell last night as far east as Durham and relieved the drought. Many local showers occurred today and there were some extensive rains. Greenville, in the heart of the eastern cotton and tobacco country, got nearly 1.50 inches today; Clarksville, 1.04, Randolph, 1.44, these all being rain stations which report Sunday night. The total rainfall at Raleigh in April was only .73 and in May only .87 up to 8 o'clock to-night. The last rain here before this one was May 6, when .47 fell. Indications for rain are favorable, the barometer being quite low.

—Washington (N. C.) special, May 26: Quite a little excitement has recently been created in this city among the colored people over the sudden and mysteriously disappearance of one of their number. Tobe Little, who has not been seen or heard of since last Monday night. Little was one of the town's most respctable colored men. He was a man of regular habits and well behaved. On the night of the alleged disappearance Little was at his home as usual. About 9:30 o'clock he went on his porch to get a drink of water. Failing to return after a reasonable time, his family started to look for him and found he had disappeared. Since then nothing has been heard from him and his whereabouts are completely veiled in mystery.

—Newbern special, May 27: Two bad fires occurred here this morning in one of which one fatality happened. The first alarm was sounded after midnight in a section of the city inhabited almost exclusively by negroes. Four houses were totally destroyed and another house was badly damaged. The loss is estimated at $2,500. After the fire had been extinguished the remains of a woman were found in one of the buildings. She has not yet been identified, as she had only been in the house a few days. About 5 o'clock this morning the home of T. A Green, president of the Citizens' Bank, was discovered on fire. The interior of the house was badly damaged and the loss will not be less than $3,000. Many valuable household effects were ruined. The fire was caused by a live wire.

—The veteran agent of the Raleigh News and Observer, Mr. H. B. Hardy, writes from Richlands, Onslow county: This town is located in the northwestern part of Onslow county. For about 75 years Richlands was only an inland country settlement of about a dozen families and four stores. About a year ago the village was penetrated by the Dover and Southbound Railroad, and since then the town has taken on a new growth, its population having increased from 100 to over 500. The town has made as rapid development within twelve months as any place of its size in North Carolina. There have been from 25 to 30 new residences erected, new streets have been laid off, many town lots sold, two tobacco warehouses built, a bank established, a brick plant constructed with capacity to make 20,000 brick per day, six new storehouses completed with more in course of erection and the town is a distributing center for the surrounding country. Richlands has eleven general merchandise stores an up-to-date gin with 20 bales capacity. There are three churches— a Baptist, Methodist and Disciples—a splendid graded school, which had an attendance during the past season of 250 pupils. The principal is Prof. G. M. Garrison and his assistants are Miss Mamie Jarman, Miss Glennie Aycock, Miss Mabel Thompson, and Mrs. Garrison, the latter teaching music.

—Danbury (Stokes county) Reporter: There ought to be a law passed by the next General Assembly for the election of a judge-at-large for the State of North aCrolina, whose business shall be to fill vacancies in the court terms of the State caused by the illness or death of judges, and whose mission shall be, moreover, to hold special terms of court when and where needed in the different counties. We understand that the constitution would have to be amended first, however. In our own county this week we are confronted with a situation wherein the above-mentioned remedy would be applicable. The witnesses, jurymen and parties to the suits were kept waiting three days, and put to a great deal of expense, loss of time and worry because the only two available judges were sick.

—Newbern special, May 26: A negro theif entered the house of O. H. Rhem, at Dover, yesterday by raising a window and stole a trunk containing $105. The thief emptied the contents of the trunk in the woods and returned to town where he purchased a whole outfit of clothes and came to Newbern. Mrs. Rhem discovered the robbery an hour later and notified the officers at once and a good description was obtained. It was learned that he had a woman accomplice and another man has been suspected of being with him. The officers secured a clue and located him in a house in the negro district here. He heard that officers were after him and escaped in clothes that were lent him. A portion of the money, $66.50, and the new clothes were found in the house and the officers are running the man down.

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On Sunday, June 3rd, The Philadelphia Sunday Press will give free to each of its subscribers the greatest and best supplement picture ever put out by any newspaper. It is printed in beautiful colors and is 14x21 inches. The picture is entitled "The Skipper." A staunning Summer girl and the "skipper" make two genuinely great subjects for a picture worth framing. Everybody will want to get one of these pictures. They are worth a dollar apiece, and can be secured exclusively with the Philadelphia Sunday Press, June 3rd. Be wise and tell your newsdalear to reserve you a copy. **

Postmaster Robbed.

G. W. Fouts, Postmaster at Riverton, Ia., nearly lost his life and was robbed of all comfort, according to his letter, which says: "For 20 years I had chronic liver complaint, which led to such a severe case of jaundice that even my finger nails turned yellow; when my doctor prescribed Electric Bitters; which cured me and have kept me well for eleven years." Sure cure for Biliousness, Neuralgia, Weakness and all Stomach, Liver, Kidney and Bladder derangements. A wonderful Tonic. At all drug stores. 50 cents.

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON. N. C.

Tuesday Morning, May 29.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmintgon, N. C., May 28, 1906.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 A. M., Monday, May 28th:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 68 degrees; 8 P. M., 67 degrees; Maximum, 80 degrees; Minimum, 63 degrees; mean, 72 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .71; rainfall since first of the month to date, 3.60.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., Friday, 2.8 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday, warmer Wednesday, fresh northwest winds.

PORT ALMANAC—May 29th.

Sun Rises	4:46 A. M.
Sun Sets	7:08 A. M.
Day's Length	14 hrs., 20 m.
High Water at Southport	12.05 A. M.
High Water at Wilmington	2:35 A. M.

SERMONS IN RALEIGH.

Bishop Strange and Rev. Mr. Hogue Heard With Great Interest.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 28.—Two baccalaureate sermons by distinguished Episcopal ministers of Wilmington were delivered in this city yesterday morning, Rt. Rev. Robt. Strange, D. D., Bishop of the Diocese of East Carolina, preaching the sermon for the A. & M. Colelge commencement and Rev. R. W. Hogue, rector of St. James' church, the sermon for the commencement of St. Mary's School. Both sermons were heard by very large audiences and won exceptional praise.

Bishop Strange used as a text Phillipians 4:8—"Whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, if there be any praise, think of these things." The sermon was an earnest and very forcible appeal for the young men of the school to control their individual lives and strive for the attainment of the ideals of human life as set by Christ.

The sermon by Rev. Mr. Hogue, at St. Mary's was based upon Math. 5:48—"Be ye therefore perfect." The discourse was a powerful admonition to the young ladies for the fullest development of their faculties for the living of truly noble lives. The text, he said he had chosen, because before him were those who, as far as it was possible to carry out the simple deep injunction of the text, could carry it to fulfilment. He impressed the importance of the selection of companions in school life and in after years; the necessity of reading only good pure books, and of having an aim in life.

SEABOARD SCHEDULE.

Parlor Car and Week End Service to the Beach.

Maj. C. H. Gattis, travelling passenger agent of the Seaboard Air Line, was in Charlotte Saturday and discussing the new schedule on the Wilmington-Charlotte line, said:

"Next Friday a parlor car will be added to No. 39 and 40, to go straight through to Wilmington and the coast. No. 39 will leave Charlotte at 5 o'clock in the morning, returning as No. 40 at 10:45 at night. The week-end tickets will also go on sale at that time.

"One may leave Charlotte, with one of these tickets, costing $5, at 5 o'clock Friday afternoon, arriving in Wilmington that night. After spending Saturday, Sunday and Monday fishing and surf-bathing on the coast, the holder of the ticket may leave Wilmington Tuesday afternoon, arriving in Charlotte at 10:45 that night. With the parlor car, etc., the best of accommodation will be provided by the road, en route."

DAMON AND PYTHIAS.

Sale of Tickets for Benefit Performance—An Incident.

The sale of tickets for Damon and Pythias on Thursday night is progressing well and a large house is anticipated. The advance sale will open at plummer's Wednesday morning.

Mr. D'Oize relates an interesting story of a singular coincidence which occurred some years ago while he was playing in the play with Mr. Edwin Ferry. At the end of the play, the three leading characters, Damon, Pythias and Dionysius, from a triangle, which is symbolic of the orders of Pythianism, by placing their hands each upon the other's shoulders. The three parts were played respectively by Messrs. Ferry, Collins and Buckler whose initials are also the initials of the words "Friendship, Charity and Benevolence," the principles of the order. Mr. Collins, was called to his home and his place in the cast was taken by Mr. Carroll, who was shortly afterward replaced by Mr. Claxton, so the F. C. B. was present throughout the entire season.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. W. T. Aycock, of Whiteville, was here Sunday.

—W. H. Pope, Esq., of Fayetteville, arrived last night.

—Mr. W. W. Bethea, of Georgetown, S. C., was here yesterday.

—State Senator J. A. Brown, of Columbus, was here yesterday.

—Mr. C. W. Petty, of Greensboro, was among yesterday's arrivals.

—Mr. W. D. McNeill, of Fayetteville, was a guest at The Orton Sunday.

—Mr. E. M. Toon, of Whiteville, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Misses Rachel Savage and Daisy Marine spent Sunday at Southport.

—Mrs. D. J. Price, of Rocky Mount, is visiting friends and relatives in the city.

—Hon. H. L. Godwin and wife, of Dunn, arrived Sunday and are guests at The Orton.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Land and children were here Sunday returning to Chadbourn.

—Mr. S. F. Peterson, of Kerr, Sampson county, is among the business visitors to the city.

—Dr. Cyrus Thompson, of Jacksonville, N. C., was among the guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Mrs. Fairchild, of Pittsburg, Pa., who has been spending the Winter here, returned home yesterday.

—Mrs. L. B. Holt, of Smithfield, is the guest of her son, Mr. E. M. Holt, pharmacist at the Marine Hospital.

—Messrs. H. M. Murray, Wm. Pannill and J. T. McMahon, of Norfolk, were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Mrs. J. D. Biggs and Miss Minnie Register, who have been visiting in Richmond, Va., have returned after a very pleasant visit.

—Mrs. Forney Jollye, who has been spending some time at her old home in Marion, S. C., a guest of friends and relatives, has returned home.

—Among last night's arrivals were: J. J. Matheson, Bennettsville, S. C.; J. A. Meeder, Council's; W. H. Redfern, Charlotte, and W. S. Lewis, Conway, S. C.

—Fayetteville Observer: "Mr. J. A. Huske returned to-day from Wrightsville Beach, having accompanied Mrs. Huske and the children there. They are located at the Atlantic View."

—Mr. J. T. King, Car Accountant of the Atlantic Coast Line, and Mr. W. C. Yarborough, returned Sunday from Denver, Col., where they attended the National convention of car accountants, which was in session a week.

THE MUSSELWHITE INCIDENT.

Lost Papers In Federal Court Here Unexpectedly Returned.

Readers of this paper will remember a sensational incident that occurred in connection with the loss of some papers in the Federal Court at the term before the last in this city and the consequent disbarring of Attorney J. F. Musselwhite of Hope Mills, N. C., in connection therewith. Attorney Musselwhite is now out in a card to the press, claiming vindication in the matter by the recent unexpected return of the lost papers, the particulars of the finding of which are contained in the following letter from District Attorney Skinner, made public by Mr. Musselwhite, who says he has not been to Wilmington since Nov. 10, 1905 and charges that the papers were removed by some one to do him wilful injury. The letter is as follows:

Greenville, N. C., May 9, 1906.

John F. Musselwhite, Hope Mills, N. C.:

Sir: I am in receipt of your favor of the 8th inst. In reply thereto I have to say that on going to my office in attendance upon the late U. S. District court at Wilmington, and opening my roller-top desk, I found laying conspicuously, the much talked of, and supposedly lost, or destroyed papers in the case of U. S. vs. Raynor, from Cumberland, for illicit distilling. Having made during the November term of the court a thorough examination in this desk for these papers, I was naturally surprised to find them, and immediately called Mr. Giles and the two Mr. Colliers, to witness the finding. From the adjournment of the November term of court, until the convening of the next term, the keys to the U. S. District Attorney's office, and also to his roller-top desk, remained with the custodian of the building. After this, I brought the matter to the attention of the court, and when the case of U. S. vs. Raynor was reached on the docket, I made a statement in open court respecting this matter. The case against Raynor was then proceeded with, and Raynor was convicted, and sent to the penitentiary for twelve months. Just how these papers came in my office and on my desk, it is impossible for me even to conjecture. I had supposed from your open confession in court, that you had taken the papers from the court, and had lost them, and you can imagine my surprise on finding them.

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LOCAL DOTS.

—The Baltimore steamer Frostburg cleared yesterday afternoon for Georgetown, S. C.

—Mr. Julius Taylor has given up his position at the clothing store of Mr. A. Shrier and is now with Adolph Goodman, on Market street.

—The Clyde Liner New York, Capt. Ingram arrived in port yesterday in place of the Oneida which has been transferred to the Philadelphia Line.

—June 27th. has been decided upon as the date for the annual excursion of the Wilmington Police Department. The outing will most probably be at one of the beaches.

—Missie Pearsall, colored, charged with the larceny of a parasol and handkerchief from Mattie Judge, also colored, was tried before Justice Bornemann at 4 P. M. yesterday. She gave cash bond of $25 for her appearance in the Superior Court.

—The annual excursion of the Boys' Brigade will be run to Carolina Beach Friday of this week. There will be three trips of the steamer and all friends of the Brigade are invited to go on the outing. The committee is composed of Messrs. G. K. Young, A. J. Burriss and J. A. Price.

—A metal pipe extending under the east sidewalk on Second, between Market and Princess streets, became charged with electricity during the dampness yesterday and by some strange phenomena, the electricity was communicated to the brick. Pedestrians along that route experienced a most peculiar sensation upon stepping on the brick until the trouble was remedied.

SPECIAL RATES TO

Raleigh, N. C., and Return Account of N. C. Summer School and Teachers' Assembly, June-July, via Seaboard Air Line Ry.

Account of the Teachers' Assembly, Raleigh, N. C., June 12th-15th, the Seaboard will sell round trip tickets from all points in North Carolina, including Norfolk, Portsmouth, Suffolk Boykins, Va., at rate of one first-class fare plus 25 cents, plus $2.00 for round trip, the $2.00 being the membership fee. Tickets sold July 11th-14th with final return limit of June 18th. By deposit of ticket with Special Agent, Raleigh, N. C., on or before June 18th and payment of fee of fifty cents same can be extended until July 7th, the allowing those so desiring to remain over to the Summer School.

Account of the Summer School, Raleigh, N. C., June 16th-July 6th, Seaboard will sell round trip tickets rate of one fare plus 25 cents for rountd trip, from same points as will apply for the Teachers' Assembly, with eight selling dates, June 15th-16th-18th, 19th, 25th and 26th, and July 2nd and 3rd. with final return limit July 7th.

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Charlotte, N. C.—N. C. State Board of Medical Examiners and N. C. State Medical Society, May 23rd-June 1st, rate one, one-third fare plus 25 cents round trip certificate plan.

Nashville, Tenn.—Peabody College Summer Schools for Teachers-Vanderbilt Bible Institute, June 11th-August 10th, one first-class fare plus 25 cents for round trip.

Hot Springs, Va.—Southern Hardware Jobbers Association and Manufacturers' Association, June 12th-15th, one first class fare plus 25 cents for round trip.

Knoxville, Tenn.—Summer School of the South, June 19th-July 27th, one first-class fare plus 25 cents for round trip.

Tuscaloosa, Ala.—Summer School for Teachers, June 13th-July 24th, rate one first-class fare plus 25 cents for round trip.

Athens, Ga. — University Summer School, June 26th-July 27th, one first-class fare plus 25 cents for round trip.

Charlotte, N. C. — North Carolina Teachers Association, June 18th-22nd, one, one-third fares plus 25 cents for round trip on certificate plan.

San Francisco, Cal.—Los Angeles, Cal.—National Education Association, July 7th-14th, from Raleigh, $77.50; Wilmington, $77.50; Charlotte, $77.50; corresponding low rates from other points.

Monteagle, Tenn.—Monteagle Sunday School Institute July 15th-August 5th, one first-class fare plus 25 cents for round trip.

Monteagle, Tenn.—Monteagle Bible Training School July 22nd-31st, one first-class fare plus 25 cents for round trip.

Monteagle, Tenn.—Woman's Congress July 30th-August 20th, one first-class fare plus 25 cents round trip.

Asheville, N. C.—Convention Commercial Law League of America, July 30th-August 4th, one first-class fare plus 25 cents for round trip.

Lexington, Ky. — National Grand Lodge United Brothers of Friendship and S. M. T., one first-class fare plus 25 cents for round trip.

Birmingham, Ala.—General Conference M. E. Church, South, Birmingham, Ala., May 3rd-June 1st, rates to be announced later.

Hampton, Va.—Department Encampment of Virginia and North Carolina Grand Army of the Republic April 19th-20th, certificate plan rates.

Richmond, Va. — Virginia Funeral Directors Association, May 16th-18th certificate plan rates.

Wrightsville, N. C.—Summer School, June 15th-21st, rate one first-class fare plus 25 cents round trip.

For further information as to rates from your city. time-tables, schedules, etc., call on your nearest Agent or address.

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Wash Organdie, 46-in. wide, 25c. quality; Building sale, 18½c.

For 59c.: 10 yards Linen-Fnish 8c., bleaching.

For 10c.: Percales in many beautiful neat patterns. The 12½c. kind.

For 25c.: Two pairs of Women's Plain Black and White, or Black and Tan Dropstitch Hose, that were 19c. the pair.

For 39c.: 12 yards Torschon Laces, that were 5c. the yard.

For 10c.: Embroidery that has often sold for 25 and 35c. the yard.

For $2.41: Women's $3.00 Mohair Bathing Suits.

For 71c.: Children's Patent Sandals, sizes 5 to 8, were 89c.

For $1.94: Woman's Black and also Tan Oxfords, seven different styles; have been $2.50 and $3.00.

For $9.87: "Kirschbaum" Suits for Men, that sold for $12.50.

For 69c.: Children's Russian Blouse Wash Suits that have been $1.00, sizes 3 to 8.

For $1.42: Men's Straight and Roll Brimmed Hats.

For 5c.: All-Linen 15c. Collars.

For 35c.: Men's Patent Seam Drawers, that were 50c.

For 41c.: Men's 50c. Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers.

For 47c.: Infant's White Lawn Caps that sold for 69 and 75c. Some can be washed.

For 50c.: Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Hats, that have been 75c. and $1.00.

For 92c.: Bed Spreads that have been $1.25.

For 25c.: Two large Bleached Turkish Towels that have been 19c. each.

For 25c.: Two Pillow Cases that have been 19c. each.

For 36c.: 26-inch Ladies' Umbrellas, Congo Handles. Have been 50c.

For 47c.: Window Shades, with fringe and inserting that have been 65c.

For $3.08: Canvas Covered, Well-Made Trunks, Brass Lock and Iron Bumpers, were $3.75.

For 71c.: Women's beautiful embroidered Gowns, have been $1.00.

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CRITICAL TIMES ON THE ISTHMUS

Republic of Panama Evidently On Eve of Revolutionary Movement

TWO U. S. WARSHIPS ON SCENE

Council of Panama Calls on United States to Intervene—Colon Authorities Protest Against Such Action—Coming Elections.

By Cable to The Morning Star.

Colon, May 28.—The municipal council of Panama, in extra ordinary session held May 24th unanimously adopted the following declaration:

"Considering (1) that the government of the United States interpreting Article 7 of the canal treaty and Artical 136 of the constitution of the republic of Panama, has determined to intervene in this country to maintain therein peace and constitutional order; (2) that such resolution confers on the government of the United States the faculty of intervening in the internal relations existing between the established government and the people which founded it; (3) that the right of suffrage is the fundamental basis of the republic and the only constitutional means of proving the succession of public power; (4) that for the legitimate succession of this national power it is absolutely necessary that popular elections be verified as to their legality; purity and honesty, in order that no citizen may be reprived of the right of franchise and that citizenship be not conferred upon those not possessing that right; (5) that the next elections (the country's first for representatives of the people) ought to be realized with the greatest order and at the same time with the greatest purity and honesty, in order that it may serve as an example and give stability, in order that it may serve as an example and give stability and respectability to its institutions; (6) that acts of violence and fraud already executed by agents of the government in imprisoning members of the electional corporation and innocent citizens, increasing number of police, sending out detachmenta armed with rifles to intimidate citizens, destroying voters' lists in districts in which the opposition possesses a majority and falsifying others, evidently demonstrates that the next election will be conducted in most daringly illegal manner; and (7) that the government of the United States cannot intend supporting these acts, shameful to the power executing them, and that intervention has for its object the establishment of legal, civilized order, and not an oppressive regime.

"Resolved, that we solicit the intervention of the authority of the United States in the popular election of June 24th and July 1st in order that they may be realized without favor to any and with out prejudice to any legitimate interest, allowing each citizen a free and spontaneous vote.

"The municipal council of Panama which is the same corporation that assumed on November 13, 1903, the responsibility for the movement for separation from Colombia for the betterment of our native land and for establishing a just government respectable and obedient to the laws, consider it their duty to express hereby the hope cherished that the illustrious government of the United States, penetrated by its historic responsibility, voluntarily accepted before the world, will favorably receive this petition, which tends to strengthen the ties of sympathy and gratitude between the Panama people and the United States.

"We send a copy of this resolution to his excellency, Theodore Roosevelt, President of the United States, and to the Honorable Secretaries of State and War, and publish it as a fly sheet.

"Dated at Panama, May 24, 1906.

"(Signed)

"C. AROSEMONA, Bresident."

Colon Council Protests.

The municipal council of Colon held a session yesterday at which the following was adopted:

"Resolved, That we protest in the name of our constituents against the unpatriotic conduct of the municipal council of Panama in assuming an attitude involving functions of national representations and soliciting the intervention of a foreign power in the internal affairs of this country, to the detriment of the security of this republic.

"Resolved, that this resolution be published as a fly sheet and that copies be sent to his excellency, the President of the Republic, the Secretary of Government and the Secretary of Foreign Relations.

"(Signed) "M. GRENALDO,
"President."

The preamble of the foregoing resolutions asserts that the municipal council of Panama transcended the sphere of its constitutional and legal functions and that if other municipal councils in the republic did not notice such strange proceeding the silence would be regarded as tacit assent to the revolutionary principle proclaimed.

The preamble concludes with the declaration that the government of the United States alone possesses the authority to preserve public order in this country, an authority derived from the canal treaty and the constitution of Panama, both of which had been approved by the votes of the legitimate representatives of the nation, among whom was the chief of the liberal opposition, Pablo Arosemeno.

The United States cruiser Columbia arrived here to-day from Guantanamo with four hundred marines on board. These marines are expected to land to-morrow.

The re-inforcement of the marines on the isthmus at the present moment has no direct bearing on the political situation here.

Another Warship Arrives.

Panama, May 28.—The United States cruiser Marblehead, Commander R. T. Mulligan, arrived here to-day.

Washington, May 28.—The cruiser Columbia with 400 marines aboard, arrived at Colon to-day.

The Marblehead also is one its way to the Isthmus of Panama and should arrive at Panama to-day as the Navy Department is advised of the sailing of the cruiser from Punta Arenas, Costa Rica, from Panama on Saturday.

GOVERNORMENT PROSECUTE CHATTANOOGA LYNCHERS

(Continued From Page Eight.)

these facts the sheriff withdrew from the jail in the evening of the 19th the usual guard and left in charge only the night jailer, Deputy Sheriff Gibson.

It was also stated that about 9 o'clock of that night the defendants and a large number of other persons combined and conspired together to lynch Johnson with intent to show their contempt and disregard for the orders of the court.

The facts attending the lynching are given in the information filed and the statement is made that authough Sheriff Shipp returned to the jail while it was in possession of a mob, neither he nor Deputy Gibson did anything to prevent the lynching, but in fact aided those engaged in it.

The court granted leave to file as requested, making the rule returnable on the second Monday of the next term of court, October 15th next.

Chattanooga, Tenn., May 28.—The action of the attorney general of the United States came as a surprise here, the local grand jury having failed to find an indictment against the lynchers of Johnson although strongly charged by Judge Reynolds. It is supposed that the evidence adduced was insufficient to make out a case against any suspect. Ten of the men named y the attorney general are officials, the sheriff and his deputies. The others are not widely known or prominent.

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TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF NEW HANOVER COUNTY.

With a high appreciation of the kindness shown me by my Democratic friends in the past in electing me to the Office of Clerk of the Superior Court of this County. I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to that office, and ask your support at the approaching primary.

JOHN D. TAYLOR.

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NOTICE.

Certain persons have laid or are laying sidewalks in the city without getting the grade from the Superintendent of Streets and have thus caused inequalities of grade. This is contrary to the ordinance, and notice is hereby given that any sidewalk so laid will be taken up at the expense of the person so laying it, or if unfinished the work will be stopped until the proper grade is given. By order of the Mayor.

N. J. WILLIAMS,
Chief-of-Police.

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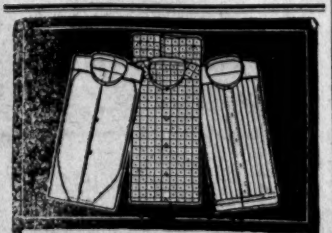
TO THE DEMOCRATS OF NEW HANOVER COUNTY.

The undersigned respectfully announces that he will be a candidate for the office of Sheriff of New Hanover County, subject to the will of the Democratic primary.

THOS. C. JAMES.



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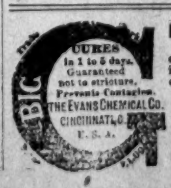

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WAS SUPRISE FOR BLACKBURN

Resignation of Republican State Chairman Rollins Was Unexpected—Had Stated He Would Not Resign.

(Charlotte Observer.)

Greensboro, May 26.—The Republican State convention will be held in Greensboro Wednesday, July 10th. This was decided at the meeting of the State Executive Committee this afternoon in the assembly hall of the Benbow. Another matter of importance was the resignation of State Chairman Thomas S. Rollins, of Asheville, and the election of former Judge Spencer B. Adams, of Greensboro, to succeed him. The meeting was called to order promptly at 3 o'clock this afternoon by Chairman Rollins, the secretary, Mr. Fred A. Hull, being at his post. A delegation of three Greensboro citizens appeared before the committee and extended an invitation to have the State convention held in this city. The invitation in behalf of the chamber of commerce was extended by Dr. Charles D. McIver; for the Merchants and Manufacturers' Club by G. S. Bradshaw, and on behalf of the city government by Alderman M. W. Thompson. After receiving the invitation the committee went into executive session and decided, in a short while, on the time and place for the State convention.

Although Chairman Rollins had given out a statement before leaving Washington yesterday that he would not relinquish the chairmanship, he did that very thing and in doing so, sprun a distinct surprise on the Blackburn faction, which was unprepared for this move. It is said that it was very apparent that Rollins and Duncan had matters cut and tried and their plans finally worked out to suit them exactly. When Rollins tendered his resignation the committee declined to accept it. He insisted, however, and, after much parleying, an adjournment was taken until 7 o'clock when the resignation was accepted by a vote of 8 to 4. The names of ex-Judge S. B. Adams and Mr. C. J. Harris, of Dillsboro, were presented as Mr. Rollins' successor, but the point was made that Mr. Harris' nomination had received no second and Judge Adams was declared elected chairman. This action, of course, will come up for ratification by the State convention. It had been predicted that Zeb V. Walser would succeed Mr. Rollins, but it has leaked out that Walser would not permit his name to be presented.

When the committee met this afternoon, 13 out of the 17 members were present, the absentees being B. Frank Mebane, E. W. Timberlake, A. Berry and John E. Fowler. J. E. Alexander returned to Winston-Salem this evening and was not present when the vote was taken. The executive committee is composed of the following: From the State at large—T. S. Rollins, Asheville; J. C. Meekins, Tyrell, county; Z. V. Walser, Davidson county; H. S. Harkins, Buncombe county; E. W. Timberlanke Franklin county; W. S. Pearson, Burke county; B. F. Mebane, Rockingham county; from the congressional districts, in the order named—A. Berry, Hyde; D. W. Hatrick, Greene; John E. Fowler, Sampson; Claudius Dockery, Wake; J. E. Alexander, Forsyth; W. K. Sutton, Cumberland; W. A. Bailey, Davie; E. Spencer Blackburn, Wilkes; T. S. Rowland, Gaston; N. J. Morgan, McDowell.

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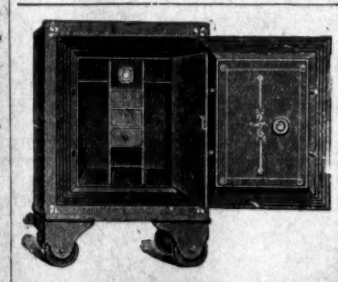
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2.55 p	12.19 a	Philadelphia		2.35 a	1.45 p
		Lv	Lv		
5.10 p	2.51 a	Baltimore		11.17 p	11.32 a
		Lv	Lv		
7.75 p	4.30 a	Wash'ngt'n		8.36 p	9.55 a
		Lv	Lv		
11.00 p	9.40 a	Richmond		4.55 p	6.10 a
		Lv	Lv		
4.15 a	4.00 p	Raleigh		11.50 a	1.10 a
		Lv	Lv		
6.20 a	6.16 p	S'th'n P'n's		9.45 a	11.06 p
		Ar	Lv		
7.15 a	7.30 p	Hamlet		8.50 a	10.00 p
		Lv	Ar		
8.40 a	7.50 p	Hamlet		8.40 a	7.35 p
		Ar	Lv		
1.00 p	11.59 p	Wilmingt'n		4.30 a	3.00 p

Between Wilmington, Norfolk and Portsmouth.

		Lv	Ar		
8.24 p	9.00 a	Norfolk		5.45 p	8.00 a
		Lv	Lv		
9.00 p	9.25 a	Porthm't'h		5:30 p	7.45 a
		Lv	Lv		
2.33 a	2.10 p	Henderson		1.07 p	2.35 a
		Lv	Lv		
4.15 a	4.00 p	Raleigh		11.50 a	1.10 a
		Ar	Lv		
7.15 a	7.30 p	Hamlet		8.50 a	10.00 p
		Lv	Ar		
8.40 a	7.50 p	Hamlet		8.40 a	8.40 p
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Between Wilmington, Atlanta and Birmingham.

2.10 pm	Lv	Birmingham	Ar	11.55 am
7.40 pm	Ar	Atlanta	Lv	6.30 am
9.00 pm	Lv	Atlanta	Ar	6.10 am
11.23 pm	Lv	Athens	Lv.	3.41 am
2.00 am	Lv	Greenwood	Lv	1.08 am
4.10 am	Lv	Chester	Lv	10.50 pm
7.10 am	Ar	Hamlet	Lv	7.50 pm
8.40 am	Lv	Hamlet	Ar	7.35 pm
1.00 pm	Ar	Wilmington	Lv	3.00 pm

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8.30 am	Lv	Tampa	Ar	6.35 pm
5.20 pm	Ar	Jacksonville	Lv	9.20 am
7.50 pm	Lv	Jacksonville	Ar	8.55 am
12.10 am	Lv	Savannah	Lv	4.45 am
4.25 am	Lv	Columbia	Lv	1.25 am
6.25 am	Lv	Camden	Lv	12.24 am
8.40 am	Ar	Hamlet	Lv	10.15 pm
8.40 am	Lv	Hamlet	Ar	7.35 pm
1.00 pm	Ar	Wilmington	Lv	3.00 pm

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		Lv	Ar		
4.30 a	3.00 p	Wilmingt'n		11.59 p	1.00 p
		Lv	Lv		
6.58 a	5.35 p	Lumberton		9.32 p	10.19 a
		Lv	Lv		
7.23 a	6.00 p	Pembroke		9.07 p	9.25 a
		Lv	Lv		
7.46 a	6.30 p	Maxton		8.44 p	9.30 a
		Lv	Lv		
3.03 a	6.57 p	Laurinburg		8.27 p	9.11 a
		Ar	Lv		
8.40 a	7.35 p	Hamlet		7.50 p	8.40 a
		Lv	Lv		
9.00 a	7.50 p	Hamlet		7.30 p	7.10 a
		Lv	Lv		
10.55 a	9.30 p	Monroe		5.55 p	5.40 a
		Lv	Lv		
11.50 a	10.25 p	Charlotte		5.00 p	4.45 a
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4.00 p		Charlotte		10.15 a	
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5.32 p		Lincolnt'n		8.40 a	
		Lv	Lv		
6.40 p		Shelby		7.45 a	
		Ar	Lv		
8.00 p		Ruth'fort'n		6.30 a	

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Lv. Goldsboro	8.00	3.40
" Best's	8.21	4.01
" LaGrange	8.32	4.13
" Falling Creek	8.43	4.25
" Kinston	8.56	4.40
" Caswell	9.13	4.52
" Cove	9.41	5.16
" Tuscarora	9.51	5.26
Ar. Newbern	10.10	5.48
Lv. Newbern	10.15	5.55
" Riverdale	10.34	6.18
" Croatan	10.38	6.22
" Havelock	10.50	6.35
" Newport	11.06	6.52
" Wildwood	11.12	6.58
" Mansfield	11.16	7.02
Ar. Morehead City	11.30	7.20
" Morehead City Depot	11.40 P. M.	7.30
" Beaufort (BMC&OSSCo)	12.20	8.10

WESTBOUND	No. 3 Daily A. M.	No. 4 Daily P. M.
Lv. Beaufort (BMC&OSSCo)	7.00	3.35
" Morehead City Depot	7.40	4.15
" Morehead City	7.50	4.22
" Mansfield	8.01	4.33
" Wildwood	8.05	4.37
" Newport	8.11	4.43
" Havelock	8.27	4.59
" Croatan	8.39	5.11
" Riverdale	8.43	5.15
Ar. Newbern	9.05	5.40
Lv. Newbern	9.10	5.48
" Tuscarora	9.31	6.10
" Cove	9.41	6.20
" Dover	9.58	6.36
" Caswell	10.08	6.46
" Kinston	10.22	7.00
" Falling Creek	10.35	7.13
" LaGrange	10.47	7.26
" Best's	10.58	7.37
Ar. Goldsboro	11.20	7.55

Trains Nos. 1 and 4 connect at Goldsboro with Atlantic Coast Line trains as follows: No. 41, southbound; No. 42, northbound, and with Southern Railway trains Nos. 111, westbound, and No. 112 eastbound.
Trains Nos. 2 and 3 connect at Goldsboro with Southern Railway trains as follows: No. 108, eastbound; No. 135, westbound, and with Atlantic Coast Line trains as follows: No. 49, southbound, and No. 48, northbound.
Pullman Sleeping Car and Parlor Car service has been discontinued for the season.
R. E. L. BUNCH,
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Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect, May 27, 1906.

NOTICE.
The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48	No. 42
Lv. Wilmington	9 00 a m	6 50 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	12 15 p m	9 32 p m
Ar. Wilson	1 20 p m	10 25 p m
Ar. Rocky Mount	2 08 p m	11 10 p m
Ar. Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar. Weldon	5.08 p m	2.32 a m
Ar. Petersburg	7.12 p m	4.27 a m
Ar. Richmond	8.00 p m	5.10 a m
A. Washington	11 40 p m	7 54 a m
Ar. Baltimore	1 43 a m	9 09 a m
Ar. Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 22 a m
Ar. New York	7 30 a m	2 15 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv. New York	9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar. Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar. Baltimore	2 12 p m	2 32 a m
Ar. Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar. Norfolk	.....	8 40 a m
Lv. Richmond	7 25 p m	9 05 a m
Ar. Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar. Weldon	9 53 p m	11 44 a m
Ar. Rocky Mount	10.58 p m	1.00 p m
Ar. Wilson	11.40 p m	2.05 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	6 58 a m	3 10 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10 05 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily, via Wilson
Lv. Wilmington	8 00 am	3 45 pm	6 50 pm
Ar. Florence	9 35 am	7 40 pm	3 55 am
Ar. Columbia	12.40 pm	10.55 pm	
Ar. Charlest'n	1 20 pm	11 40 pm	6 50 am
Ar. Savannah	6 45 pm	2 50 am	9 05 am
Ar. Jack'ville	.....	8 40 am	1 45 pm
Ar. Tampa	.....	6 55 pm	11 00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily
Lv. Tampa	8 35 p m	9 00 a m
Ar. Jacksonville	7 55 a m	7 00 p m
Ar. Savannah	12 55 p m	1 15 a m
Lv. Charleston	5 20 p m	6 15 a m
Lv. Columbia	4.30 p m	6.45 a m
Ar. Florence	7 50 p m	9 25 a m
Ar. Wilmington	11 45 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily.	East Bound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8 45 a m	Ar. 8 00 p m
Ar. Fayettesville	12 20 p m	Ar. 4 55 p m
Ar. Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv. 3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

	N. Bound Daily ex Sun.	South Bound.
Lv. Wilmington	2 25 p m	Ar. 12 30 p m
Ar. Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv. 9 10 a m

Trains Nos. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington connecting with Pennsylvania R. R. for all points east.
W. J. CRAIG,
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To The Beach.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE
In Effect May 21, 1906.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Wrightsville
*6.00 am	*6.30 am
	Leave Beach
*7.00 am	*8.15 am
9.00 am	9.45 am
10.00 am	10.45 am
10.30 am	11.15 am
11.00 am	11.45 am
11.30 am	12.15 pm
12.00 m	12.45 pm
12.30 pm	1.15 pm
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! 8.30 pm	9.15 pm
! 9.00 pm	! 9.45 pm
! 9.30 pm	!10.15 pm
10.00 pm	10.45 pm
	!11.45 pm

*Daily except Sunday.
! Wednesday and Saturday only.

FREIGHT SCHEDULE.
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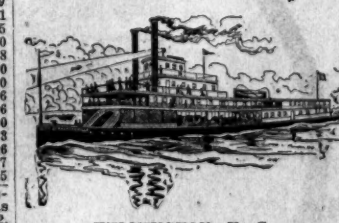
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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, May 28, 1906.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm 57 cents.

ROSIN—Market, nothing doing.

TAR—Market firm at $1.80 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at $2.90 per barrel for hard, $4.60 per barrel for dip and $5.00 for Virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm, 72c.; rosin firm, $3.50; tar firm, $1.80 crude turcrude turpentine firm, $2.50, $4.50 and pentine firm, $2.50, $4.50 and $5.00.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	46
Rosin	77
Tar	8
Crude	116

Same day last year—65 casks spirits turpentine, 407 barrels rosin, 8 barrels tar, 212 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market—Steady, 11 3-16.

Same day last year—Steady, 8 1-4.

Receipts—1,183 bales; same day last year, 1,716 bales.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, Prime, 75c.; extra prime, 80@85c.; fancy, 90 per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 55c.; extra prime, 65c.; fancy, 70c.; Spanish, $1.00@$1.05.

CORN—Firm, 65@66c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 13@15c. per pound; shoulders, 9 to 10c.; sides dull, 9 to 10c.

EGGS—Firm at 15@16c.

CHICKENS—Dull, 15 to 30 for small; Grown, 35@45.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 60@70c. per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 4c. pound.

TURKEYS—Firm, 15c for live; dressed, 16 2-3@18.

HIDES—Dry salted, 12c.; green, 8c. per pound.

PORK—Dull, 6 to 7; hams, 8 to 10.

THE COTTON MARKETS.

New York, May 28.—The cotton market was very nervous and unsettled with the feature a break of 18 points in the May option, most of which was later recovery. The close was steady at a net decline of 4@8 points. Sales for the day were estimated at only 75,000 bales.

The opening was steady at a decline of 1@3 points in response in lower cables, favorable weather over Sunday and expectations of a bearish weekly bureau report to-morrow. At first there seemed comparatively little pressure against the market, but prices soon broke sharply under liquidation and bear pressure following a decline in the May options, which resulted from the circulation of notices representing about 2,000 bales. These notices seemed to be forcing out some scattering long interests through the street and May declined to 11.19 or 18 points below the closing figures of Saturday before the bulls came to the assistance of the market. Later it was reported that notices had been stopped and May rallied to 11.13 while later months also sold up some 4 or 5 points from the lowest. There was no snap to the buying, however, and the market ruled barely steady in the late session with the close at a net decline of 5@8 points on the active months. Southern spot markets were generally unchanged. The English spot market was 5 points lower on sales of 7,000 bales.

Spot cotton, quiet; middling, 11.90; middling, 12.25; sales, 1,300 bales.

Futures steady. Prices ranged as follows:

	Opening	Closing.
May	11.37	11.31
June	——	11.09
July	11.12	11.08
August	10.85	10.82
September	10.85	10.62
October	10.60	10.56
November	——	10.56
December	10.80	10.57
January	10.65	10.62
February	10.62	10.62
March	——	10.70

Port Movements.

Galveston—Dull, 11 1-8c.; net receipts, 2,884 bales.

New Orleans—Quiet, 11 1-4c.; net receipts, 2,398 bales.

Mobile—Steady, 11 1-8c.; net receipts, 1,347 bales.

Savannah—Quiet, 11 3-16c.; net receipts, 2,911 bales.

Charleston—Quiet, 11c.; net receipts, 91 bales.

Wilmington—Steady, 11 1-16c.; net receipts, 1,183 bales.

Norfolk—Steady, 11 1-2c.; net receipts, 776 bales.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11 5-8c.

New York—Quiet, 11.90.

Boston—Quiet, 11.90.

Philadelphia—Steady, 12.15.

Total to-day, at all ports—Net, 11,675 bales. Exports: Great Britain, 9,288 bales; Continent, 10,174 bales; Japan, 85 bales; Stock, 511,512 bales.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 26,486 bales. Exports: Great Britain, 12,399 bales; Continent, 19,408 bales; Japan, 85 bales.

Total since September 1, at all ports—Net, 7,449,468 bales. Exports: Great Britain, 7,661,203 bales; France, 643,223 bales; Continent, 2,386,353 bales; Japan, 1,0,464 bales; Mexico, 2,764 bales.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Easy, 11 3-8c.; net receipts, 1,341 bales.

Augusta—Steady, 11 1-2c.; net receipts, 149 bales.

Memphis—Steady, 11 5-16c.; net receipts, 192 bales.

St. Louis—Quiet, 11 3-8c.; net receipts, 554 bales.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 753 bales.

Louisville—Firm, 11 5-8c.; net receipts, 1,990 bales.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

Liverpool, May 28.—Cotton. Spot steady; prices firmer. American middling fair, 6.63d.; good middling, 6.39d.; middling, 6.17d.; low middling 6.09d.; good ordinary, 5.81d.; ordinary, 5.61d.; The sales of the day were 10,000, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 9,500. Receipts, 10,000 bales on American.

Futures opened steady and closed easy. American middling, G. O. C.: May, 5.94d.; May and June, 5.94d.; June and July, 5.94d.; July and August, 5.95; August and September, 5.96d.; September and October, 5.76d.; October and November, 5.70d.; November and December, 5.68d.; December and January, 5.68d.; January and February, 5.69d.; February and March, 5.70d.; March and April, 5.71d.

NEW YORK FINANCIAL

New York, May28.—Money on call firm 3@4 per cent.; ruling rate, 4; closing bid, 4; offered at 3 1-2. Time loans firm; sixty days, 4 1-4@4 1-2 per cent.; ninety days, 4 1-4; six months, 4 3-4@5. Prime mercantile paper, 4 3-4@5 1-4; sterling exchange, steady. Posted rates, 4.83@4.86 1-2. Commercial, 4.83 3-4. Bar silver, 67 5-8. Mexican dollars, 52.

N. Y. Bonds.

U. S. Refunding, 2s reg	103 1-2
U. S. Refunding, 2s cou.	103 1-2
U. S. 3s reg	102 3-4
U. S. 3s cou ex in	102 3-4
U. S. old, 4s reg	103 1-4
U. S. old, 4s. cou.	103 1-4
U. S. New, 4s reg.	128 3-4
U. S. New, 4s cou	128 3-4
American Tobacco 4s cert	79
American Tobacco, 5s. cert	113 7-8
A. C. L., 4s	100 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio, 4s	102 1-2
L. .. N. Unified	102 3-4
Seaboard Air Line, 4s off'd	87 1-2
Southern Railway, 5s	118
U. S. Steel, 2nd 5s	98 1-2

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	108 1-4
American Sugar Refining	136 3-4
American Tobacco, pfd., cert	103 1-4
Atlantic Coast Line	145 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio	108 5-8
Baltimore & Ohio, pfd	94
Chesapeake & Ohio	58 5-8
Louisville & Nashville	146
Manhattan L.	151
New York Central	139 1-8
Norfolk & Western	89 1-4
Norfolk & Western, pfd	90
People's Gas	91 1-2
Reading	140 1-4
Reading, 1st pfd	91
Reading, 2nd pfd	96
Southern Pacific	65 1-4
Southern Pacific, pfd	119
Southern Railway	38
Southern Railway, pfd	99
Tenn., Coal & Oron	151 1-2
U. S. Steel	40 3-4
U. S. Steel, pfd	115 1-2
Va.-Car. Chemical	39
Va.-Car. Chemical, pfd	108
S. A. L.	——
S. A. L., pfd	——
Standard Oil	611
Western Union	92 1-4

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

Chicago, May 28.—Clear weather in the northwest had a weakening effect to-day on the local wheat market, but because of the fresh damage report from the southwest prices showing only a slight loss, the July option at the close being 1-8c. off. Corn was up 3-4@7-8. Oats were 1-8 to 1-4 decline. Provisions made a gain of 10 to 20 points.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat, No. 2.—				
May	86¼	86¾	86⅛	86⅝
July	82⅞	83½	82⅞	83⅜
Sept	81¼	81¾	81⅛	81½
Corn, No. 2.—				
May	48⅛	49½	48⅛	49½
July	47⅜	48½	47⅜	48½
Sept	47½	48¼	47⅜	48¼
Oats, No. 2.—				
May	33¾	34	33¾	33⅞
July	33⅜	33¾	33⅜	33¾
Sept	31¾	32⅛	31⅝	32⅛
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
May	16.27½	16.35	16.27½	16.35
July	16.22½	16.40	16.22½	16.40
Sept	16.12½	16.35	16.12½	16.35
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
May	8.80	8.80	8.80	8.80
July	8.72½	8.90	8.90	8.87½
Sept	8.90	9.05	8.90	9.00
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
May	9.25	9.41	9.25	9.40
July	9.35	9.50	9.35	9.50
Sept	9.22½	9.35	9.22½	9.35

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, steady; No. 2 Spring wheat 86@87; No. 3 Spring wheat, 80@86; No. 2 red, 92@94 3-4; No. 2 corn, 49 1-4; No. 2 yellow, 49 1-4; No. 2 oats, 34 1-2; No. 2 white, 34 1-2@35; No. 3 white, 33 1-2@34 1-2; No. 2 rye, 61 1-2; Mess pork, per bbl., 16.30@16.35; Lard, per 100 lbs., 8.82½; Short ribs sides (loose), 9.35@9.45; Short clear sides (loose), 9.65@9.75; Whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.29.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET

New York, May 28.—Flour quiet, but firmly held.

CORN MEAL—Steady.

WHEAT—Spot, steady; No. 2 red, 93 1-2 nominal elevator. Opening 1-4c. lower to 1-2c. higher. May, 81 3-4; July, 89 1-4; September, 86 3-8; December, 87 3-8.

CORN—Firm; No. 2, 57 1-2; July, 55 1-8; September, 54 7-8; December, 54.

OATS—Spot steady, 39 1-4.

LARD—Firm; western prime, 8.85@8.90. Refined, firm; Continent, 9.30.

PORK—Firm; family, 18.00@19.00; short clear, 16.50@18.25; less, 17.00@18.00.

TALLOW—Steady.

RICE—Steady.

MOLASSES—Steady.

COFFEE—Spot Rio, barely steady; No. 7 invoice, 7 5-8; Futures steady at a net decline of 15@20 points.

SUGAR — Raw,firm fair refining 2 15-16; centrifugal, 3 15-42; molasses sugar, 2 11-16; refined, steady.

BUTTER — Very firm; creamery, 14@21.

CHEESE—Firmer; new State full, cream, large and small, 8 1-4@11 1-4; skims, 2@9.

EGGS—Irregular; nearby fancy selected, 21; western fresh, 16 1-2@21; southern, 14@16 1-2.

POTATOES—Firm; Bermuda per barrel, 3.00@6.50; Southern, 2.00@6.00; State and western per bag, 2.25@2.50; Maine and other eastern, 2.75@3.00; European, 2.00@2.35; Jersey sweets per barrel, 2.00@3.00.

CABBAGES—Irregular, 1.00 @ 1.75 per crate.

FREIGHTS—To Liverpool, steady; cotton by steam, 15; grain by steam, 1 1-8d.

PEANUTS—Quiet; fancy handpicker, 4 1-2@4 3-4; other domestic, 2@4 1-2.

COTTON SSED OIL—Moderately active and about steady. Prime crude f. o. b. mills, 30@31 nominal; prime Summer yellow, 37 1-2@37 3-4; prime white and Winter yellow, 41.

DRYGOODS MARKET.

New York, May 28.—The drygoods market was quiet to-day in the jobbing houses owing to the cold wet weather. There was a large movement in low bleached goods and gray goods for printers' uses, consequent on a slight shading in prices noted last week. On fine and colored goods, prices were very firm and the demand good.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, May 28.—Turpentine firm, 60 1-2 to 61; rosin quiet, strained common to good, 4.10.

Savannah, May 28.—Turpentine firm, 57 1-2; sales, 719; receipts, 613; shipments, 783.

Rosin, steady; sales, 871; receipts, 2,788. Shipments, 1,290; stock, 59,772. Quote: A. B. C., 3.75@3.80; D., 4.30@4.35; F., 4.40; G., 4.45; H., 4.50; I., 4.55; K., 4.55; M., 4.60; N., 4.65; W. G., 4.65; W W. 4.75.

Charleston, May 28.—Turpentine and rosin, unchanged.

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C. C. Lister, 266 tons, Moore, C. D. Mafflitt.

Glad Tidings, 602 tons, Megee, C. D. Mafflitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

C. C. Railroad—41 bales cotton, 17 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—117 bales cotton.

W. C. & A. Railroad—1,025 bales cotton, 8 barrels rosin, 6 barrels tar, 29 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—13 casks spirits turpentine, 2 barrels tar, 1 barrel crude turpentine.

W. & N. Railroad—9 casks spirits turpentine, 54 barrels rosin, 58 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—24 casks spirits turpentine, 15 barrels rosin, 11 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—1,183 bales cotton, 46 casks spirits turpentine, 77 barrels rosin, 8 barrels tar, 116 barrels crude turpentine.

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SEABOARD Air Line Railway.

Important Change in SEABOARD Schedule.

Effective, Sunday May 27th, the Seaboard will make the following changes in schedule:

No. 81 Southbound will leave Raleigh 3:10 A. M. instead of 4:15 A. M.

No. 38 Northbound local will leave Raleigh 11:25 A. M. instead of 11:00 A. M.

No. 43 Southpound will leave Raleigh 7:10 P. M. instead of 7:15 P. M.

There will be no change in No. 84 at 1:10 A. M., No. 66 at 11:50 A. M., No. 30 at 5:05 P. M., Northbound, and No. 41 at 4:00 P. M. Southbound.

Trains No. 30-40 now operated between Wilmington and Hamlet, will be extended through to Charlotte on old figures same as effective prior to April 15th, these trains making all stops between Hamlet and Monroe, thereby, eliminating the necessity of No.'s. 38-41 stopping between Hamlet and Monroe.

No. 81 for Jacksonville will leave Hamlet at 6:30 A. M.

No. 33 for Atlanta will leave Hamlet at 6:30 A. M.

No. 41 for Atlanta will leave Hamlet at 10:05 P. M. instead of 7:50 P. M. waiting for connection with No. 43 from the North, the same as schedule effective prior to April 15th, this train will make connection at Atlanta and Birmingham for all points in the Southwest.

No. 45 will leave Charlotte for Rutherfordton at 4:45 P. M. instead of 4:00 P. M. as at present.

No. 33 will arrive Monroe 8:15 A. M. and No. 133 will leave Monroe 8:20 A. M. arriving Charlotte 9:00 A. M. leave Charlotte 9:15 A. M. for Rutherfordton, instead of arriving Charlotte, 10:00 A. M. leaving 10:15 A. M. as at present.

There is no change in schedule of other trains.

About June 1st Parlor Car Service will be established on trains No.'s 39-40 between Charlotte and Wilmington and vice versa.

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4.—For printing, stationery and advertising.

5—For feeding prisoners per meal.

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PANAMA CANAL IS CONSIDERED

Senator Morgan Says It Will Never Be Built Under Present Law

THE PURCHASE OF MATERIAL

Alabama Senator Says President Roosevelt Exceeds Authority Given Him by Congress—Wants Zone Made Military Reservation.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, May 28.—In the Senate to-day Mr. Morgan, of Alabama, speaking on the joint resolution reported from the committee on finance authorizing the purchase of articles for the Panama canal to be of United States production unless the prices were extortionate and unreasonable in the opinion of the President, declared that the laws put in force by the President for the government of the canal zone is an abuse of power. No member of Congress would dare to introduce such law, he said.

He mentioned as an instance, the provision permitting the governor to banish undesirable persons. This law he said, was absolutely necessary to good government and the canal zone could not be controlled without it. Yet he said the President had exceeded his authority. He said that two years experience had developed the fact that the canal never can be built under existing law. The affairs of the zone, he said, had been placed in the hands of men who have no boundaries of power.

In view of his remarks, Senator Morgan offered an amendment making the canal zone a military reservation and providing that all of the income of the zone should be set apart for the benefit of the zone, to be administered for that purpose without having to be covered into the treasury of the United States. This amendment provided for the payment of a duty of 10 per cent. and valorem on all goods imported to the canal zone from territory not controlled by the United States.

Senator Rayner, of Maryland, opposed the resolution. He stated his objections, he said, because the Maryland Steel Company, a concern in his State, was one of the beneficiaries of the resolution, as it was the lowest bidder in this country, for two steel dredges upon which bids had been mailed.

Senator Mallory offered an amendment to the resolution to strike out the word extortionate so that goods could be purchased abroad if American prices were unreasonable. Senator Stone favored the amendment and spoke in opposition to the resolution.

Senator Gallinger offered an amendment providing that all goods for the canal zone shall be carried in American shops whenever that is possible.

The resolution went over until tomorrow and the Senate took up the canal type bill. Senator Kittridge spoke at length in defense of a sea level canal.

He entered upon a technical discussion of the sea-level plan. He said the only engineering problems to be met in the plan are the dam to be built at Gamboa and the proposed tidal lock on the Pacific side.

Senator Gallinger asked if it was not a fact that the great Gatum Dam for the lock canal would be founded on mud. "Absolutely a fact," replied Senator Kittredge.

Senator Hopkins denied the statement, saying that the dam would be built on rock except for two points, and Senator Kittridge read from the letter of W. Henry Hunter, chief engineer of the Manchester Ship Canal, in support of his statement concerning the canal.

In reply to questions by Senator Clay, it was stated by the South Dakota Senator that the time of passage of a ship through the lock canal is much greater than through the sea level canal. Senator Bacon showed from statements that the sea-level canal could be deepened much easier than could the lock type.

At 4:45 o'clock the canal bill was laid aside for the day.

The House.

Washington, May 28.—Early in the session of the House today, Mr. Williams, of Mississippi, the floor leader of the minority, made the point that there was no quorum present and it took a call of the House to start the wheels of legislation.

After the appearance of a quorum the House concurred in amendments made by the Senate to a number of House bills.

The House then resolved itself into a "city council" for the consideration of bills relating to the District of Columbia.

The compulsory educational bill for the District occupied most of the day in its consideration, the bill being finally placed on its passage.

On a division the absence of a quorum was disclosed. Mr. Williams, of Mississippi, not desiring to raise the point moved that the House adjourn. Mr. Payn, of New York, made a similar motion: "I am perfectly willing that the motion should come from that side of the Chamber," said Mr. Williams. But the motion did not prevail, the Republicans voting in the negative.

Mr. Williams made the point of "no quorum" and a call of the House ensued, the yeas and nays being called on the passage of the compulsory education bill.

The sergeant-at-arms and his assistants started on a round of the hotels and other residences of members and one by one the members reported. Mr. Hedge, of Colorado, after having voted, made a parliamentary inquiry. Is this compulsory education?" he asked, which caused a round of laughter. On the appearance of General Grosvenor, of Ohio, Mr. Williams, in a facetious vein, stated that the rules of the House compelled an explanation.

Mr. Grosvenor declared that his presence was the best explanation.

At 7:45 a quorum was obtained, two hours having been consumed in the effort.

Mr. Williams, of Mississippi, stated that for the first time in the life of this Congress the strict rule of the House had been put into operation as to bring members before the bar under arrest and as there seemed to be some misunderstanding in relation to the rule he asked unanimous consent that the whole matter of making a quorum be stricken from the record.

Mr. Payne objected. The bill was then passed and the House adjourned until noon tomorrow.

RATE BILL CONFERENCE.

Senate Apopints Conferees and They Met Yesterday.

Wshinaton, May 28.—A message from the House asking for a conference on the railroad rate bill was laid before the Senate to-day by Vice President Fairbanks. Senator Tillman, who had charge of the measure during its troubled course throught the Senate, moved that the request be granted and conferees appointed by the chair. Senator Bailey protested against a provision in what is known as the coal amendment, which provision excepted lumber and manufactured products thereof. He said he was out of the chamber when the amendment was adopted, and although he knew it had been offered, he had thought it defeated.

The conference asked was agreed to and the Vice President named Senators Elkins, Cullom and Tillman as conferees on the part of the Senate.

Ten minutes after the Senate conferets were appointed Chairman Elkins called a meeting of the joint conferees and the assembled in Senator Elkins room. The meeting was only preliminary, though there was some discussion of the bill. The House conferees were asked to present any objections they had to the "wisdom of the Senate" in amending the House bill. "We commend to you," said one of the Senators, "as a piece of our monumental folly the anti-pass amendment, but you may do as you will with it."

NORFOLK TO RECEIVE VISIT FROM PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT

He Will Arrive To-morrow Morning on Yacht Mayflower—Will Deliver Address at Naval Cemetery at Portsmouth—Greetings Arranged

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Norfolk, Va., May 28.—When President Roosevelt enters Norfolk harbor Wednesday morning on board the yacth Mayflower en route to deliver an address in the Naval cemetery at Portsmouth, under the auspices of the army and navy union he will be greeted by every boat from Craney island to Norfolk, with toots of whistles, and waving of flags.

Mayor Reed, of Portsmouth, today issued a statement calling on all shipmasters to decorate their vessels, and for all steamers to salute the Mayflower as she passes up the harbor. The Mayor's request was hardly necessary, however, as shipmasters had already planned to give the President a noisy greeting. Grimes Battery of Portsmouth, a State volunteer company will fire a National salute from the Naval Hospital point as soon as the Mayflower in sighted.

Sailors from the battleships Virginia, Texas, Louisiana, Rhode Island and Minneapolis, from the training station and navy yard, from the torpedo boats in reserve and from the receiving ships Franklin and Richmond will participate in the parade to be given in Portsmouth before the President's address.

It is expected that between 3,000 and 5,000 sailors alone will be in line besides soldiers and uniformed bodies of every description.

The chief marshal of the parade for the army and navy union is Gunner Bernard, Patrick Donnelly, of the battleship Minneapolis now at anchor in Hampton Roads. The civic chief marshal is Maurice R. Hudgins, of Portsmouth.

DECISION OF SUPREME COURT AGAINST NORTH CAROLINA

State Corporation Commission Cannot Designate Switch For Placing Inter-State Freight—Circuit Court Decision In Case Sustained

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, May 28.—The Supreme Court of the United States to-day decided the case of the North Carolina Railroad Commission vs. the Southern Railway Company in favor of the railroad company. The case involved the right of a State to compel a railroad company to place its cars on tracks designated by the state authorities for the benefit of individual shippers. It was instituted by the Corporation Commission against the railroad company because of the refusal of the latter to obey an order directing that the coal cars be placed on a certain switch long Greensboro, N. C. The company expressed its willingness to place the cars on other switches but pleaded inability to comply with the demand as to the particular switch. The railroad company attacked the law as unconstitutional on the ground that it involves an interference with interstate commerce and the Circuit Court sustained this position. That decision was affirmed by to-day's opinion, which was delivered by Justice White, who ruled that State railroad commissioners have authority to reasonablye regulate the delivery of freight within the State, but not to the extent of imposing a burden on commerce between the States, as was the case in this instance. Justice White said in addition:

"Viewing the order which is under consideration in this case as an assertion by the corporation commission of its general power to direct carriers engaged in interstate commerce to deliver all cars containing such commerce beyond their right of way and to a private siding, the order manifestly imposed a burden so direct and so erroneous as to leave no room for question that it was a regulation of interstate commerce."

BASEBALL.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington-Cleveland, rain.
Philadelphia, St. Louis, rain.
New York-Detroit, rain.
Boston-Chicago, rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburg, Brooklyn, rain.
St. Louis, 5; New York, 4.
Chicago, 4; Boston, 2.
Cincinnati, 5; Philadelphia, 3.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Atlanta, 3; Shreveport, 2.
Nashville, 3; Memphis, 0.
Little Rock, 3; Montgomery, 5.
Birmingham, 3; New Orleans, 2.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

Macon, 5; Jacksonville, 1.
Charleston, 2; Columbia, 0.
Savannah, 2; Augusta, 6.

VIRGINIA LEAGUE.

Lynchburg, 2; Roanoke, 1.
Norfolk-Richmond, no rain.

FITZSIMMONS-BURNS FIGHT.

Governor Pennypacked Will Prevent Fight at Philadelphia.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Harrisburg, Pa., May 28.—Governor Pennypacker, this evening, directed Captain Groome, superintenddent of the State police force, to send a squad of policement to-morrow night to North and Singleton, Delaware county, near Philadelphia, to prevent the schedule fight between Bob Fitzsimmons and Tommy Burns, in the club rooms of the Tuxedo Athletic Association. The governor declines to make any comment on his action in ordering Captain Groome to send a squad of State Police to North and Singleton.

Philadelphia, May 28.—Sheriff McClure and no official information on the subject and was much surprised to hear of the governor's action. The sheriff said the club had not violated the law through the boxing bouts heretofore held by the club and he could not understand why the governor should interfere in the matter without first communicating with him as the principal peace officer of the county.

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EIGHT MEN INSTANTLY KILLED ON LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE

Flange Broke As Train Was Entering Union Station at Louisville—Twenty-Two Others Were Injured—Train Side-Swiped.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Louisville, Ky., May 28.—Eight persons were killed and twenty-two injured today by the derailment of four cars of a passenger train on the Louisville and Nashville Railroad. The train was nearing the union station in Louisville at a moderate speed when a flange on a wheel of the smoking car broke, throwing open a switch and causing two of the coaches to sideswipe several box cars on a siding.

Most of the injured were trainmen and negroes.

The locomotive and the combination baggage and mail car passed the switch in safety, but a flang on the forward truck of the smoking car broke, throwing the switch open. The rear trucks of the smoking car ran on the switch, followed by the day coach and two sleeping cars.

The smoking car did not break loose from the train and was dragged 200 feet along the ties until the side of the car struck a string of freight cars, tearing off the roof of the smoking car. The front end of the day coach was broken in for twenty feet, seats being torn up and all the windows broken. The hot water heater, which was in the forward end of the day coach, was hurled to the middle of the car, killing H. B. Cleman. The sleeping cars were not damaged to any extent.

The bodies of the dead were so badly disfigured that identification was difficult.

The improvement in the condition of Mrs. Jefferson Davis, at New York, who was reported Sunday as much better, continued yesterday.

GOVERNMENT TO PROSECUTE LYNCHERS AT CHATTANOOGA

Twenty-six Men to Be Brought Up on Rule For Contempt of Federal Court—Sheriff Charged With Aiding Lynchers

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, May 28.—The government has taken steps to punish the persons who are responsible for the lynching in Chattanooga, Tenn., on March 19th last, of the negro Ed. Johnson, who under the sentence of death for rape, had been allowed to appeal by the United States Supreme Court from the Circuit Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Tennesse. In the Supreme Court to-day Attorney-General Moody filed an inforkation requesting that in consideration of the acts committed by the parties named, it issue a rule upon each of them, to show cause why they should not be punished for contempt of the court.

The persons named as defendants are John F. Shipp, Frank Jones, Matthew Galloway, C. A. Baker, T. B. Taylor, Fred Fraulick, George Brown, Jeremiah Gibson; Marion Perkins, Joseph Clark, "Nick" Nolan, "Sheenie" Warner, Luther Williams, Paul Pool, William Marquette, William Neeler, Claude Powell, Charles J. Powell, "Bart" Justice, John Jones, A. J. Cartwright, Henry Padgett, William May, Frank Ward, John Varnell and Alfred Hammond.

After reciting the facts of the arrest, conviction and sentence of Johnson; the denial of his petition for writ of habeas corpus by the Circuit Court in which it was alleged among other things, that the petitioner had been denied a fair trial and denied the aid of counsel and in violation of the order of the court of March 19th, allowing the appeal to the Supreme Court; and the fact of the telegraphing of the order of the court to John F. Shipp, sheriff of Hamilton county, who had Johnson in charge, the Attorney-General stated that the sheriff and his deputies had every reason to believe that an attempt would be made to lynch Johnson, and that notwithstanding

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WIRELETS.

A serious blight has come over many of the tobacco beds in the Connecticut valley in the form of black rot or tobacco root rot. It is the same disease that has attacked Cuban tobacco for several years and was noticed for the first time last year when a few isolated cases were reported. The black rot comes from a fungus growth in the soil.

The cruiser yacht Mayflower, now at the Washington navy yard, will be used by President Roosevelt and party on their trip from Washington to Portsmouth, Va., and back. The President will leave this afternoon and make the main part of the trip on the lower Potomac and Chesapeake bay at night, arriving at Portsmouth in the forenoon of Wednesday and returning to Washington Thursday mornin.

McGovern opened a gash over Britt's right eye with a left hood in the second round and in each succeeding round the cut was re-opened with jabs and hooks. Britt was bleeding from the nose and McGovern's right eye was puffed up at the end of the sixth round. t was a hurricane fight with both men giving and taking plenty of punishment.

Chairman Thomas Taggart, of the Democratic National Committee today issued a call for a meeting of the sub-committee to be held at Washington on Thursday, May 31, for a conference with chairman J. M. Giggs and members of the Democratic Congressional Committee. Matters relating to the Democratic Congressional situation will be discussed and arrangements made to give assistance in the coming Congression Campaign. A bureal likely will be established for disseminating literature and providing ington Thursday morning.

About three miles from Mobile, Ala., Sunday afternoon during the progress of a ball game in an open field, a thunderstorm came up accompanied by vivid lightning which struck in the midst of the crowd of spectators, instantly killing five and injuring some 25 more or less seriously. The field was strewn with bits of shoes and clothing from those who were killed or seriously injured and the bodies of the dead presented a terrible spectacle, being burned in numerous places. A silver dollar taken from the pocket of one of the victims was melted on both sides. Three of those killed were white, two being brothers, and two were negroes.

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION

Marion Butler Invites Secretaries Taft and Cortelyou to Attend.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, May 28.—Secretary Taft and Postmaster General Cortelyou today accepted an invitation extended to them by former Senator Marion Butler, of North Carolina, to attend the opening of the Republican State convention at Greensboro on July 10th. It is expected that both officials will address the convention.

AWFUL AFFAIR AT WADESBORO

J. V. Johnson, Prominent White Man, Lynched By Mob of 200 Citizens

MURDERER TAKEN FROM JAIL

Murderer Taken from Jail, Strung Up to Tree and Body Riddled With Bullets — Governor Orders Rigid Investigation.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Raleigh, N. C., May 28.—A special to The Evening Times from Wadesboro, N. C., says:

This morning about 2 o'clock a mob of some two hundred citizens, after having knocked insensible Sheriff Boggan, battered down the doors of the county jail and secured J. V. Johnson, who some time ago murdered his brother-in-law, Quinn Joanson. Johnson was taken out into the suburbs, strung up to a tree and his body riddled with bullets.

At the last term of court, J. V. Johnson was tried, but no verdict was reached the jury having stood 9 for murder in the first degree, 2 for the second and one for acquittal. The people throughout the country at the time of the murder were indignant over the brutality of the dead and later over the outcome of the trial.

Governor Glenn was advised of the lynching to-day and on the request of the solicitor he instructed Judge Shaw to proceed at once to Wadesboro and make a rigid investigation.

BRITT-McGOVERN FIGHT.

Terry Surprised Everybody — All Hands Were Arrested.

New York, May 28.—Terry McGovern, of Brooklyn, surprised everybody to-night by his wonderful showing against Jimmy Britt, of California, in a ten-round bout before the Twentieth County Club in the Malidson Square Garden in the presence of 4,000 people. Tim Hurst was referee, but as no decision can be given, under the law governing boxing in this State, the spectators had to judge for themselves as to the relative merits of the men.

Immediately after the fight both the principals, Manager Harry Pollock, referee Tim Hurst and ten others were arrested by order of Deputy Police Commissioners Waldo, and Mathot charged with participating in the conducting a prize fight.

McGovern was not trained down fine as he had been on other occasions. Britt looked to be in much the better condition and was about five pounds lighter than the Brooklyn man. Britt was very clever shifty and ducked away from hard swings. McGovern stuck to his old bull dog style of fighting. There was a great deal of clinching, holding and in-fighting but whenever they indulged in a mix up Terry seemed to have the better of it. Britt landed several hard jabs on McGovern's head and face, but McGovern did not appear to suffer much from those blows.

The bout between the heavy weight publists Gus Ruhlin, of Akron, Ohio, and Sandy Ferguson, of Boston, went six round to a draw at the Marlborough Athletic Club in New York last night.

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